

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
For 24 hours ending 3 p. m. Wednesday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Strong winds or  
gales, mostly westerly and southerly, un-  
settled and mild, with rain.  
Lower Mainland—Strong winds or  
gales, mostly easterly and southerly,  
unsettled and mild, with rain.

# Victoria Daily Times

**WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT**  
Royal Victoria—Bound in Morocco.  
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Dominion—The Romance of Tarzan.  
Variety—The Doctor and the Woman.  
Columbia—Special Hypocrites.  
Romano—The Girl from Bohemia.  
Princess—Red Cross Stock Company.

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## FURTHER PROOF WAR BROUGHT ON BY TEUTONS

### BELGIANS WANT AREA SOUTH OF MOUTH OF THE SCHELDT RIVER

**Ministers and Members of Parliament Think Part of  
Dutch Province of Zeeland Should Be Included in  
Belgium; Access to the Sea**

Brussels, Nov. 26.—"Belgium must have the left bank of the Scheldt."

This demand should be made at the peace conference, it is agreed by all political parties in Belgium. Many diplomats, ministers and members of Parliament, speaking to correspondents, have all agreed on Belgian occupation of the left bank of the Scheldt.

Some extremists say that Belgium's natural frontier in the east is the left bank of the Rhine, while the more moderate group would be contented with the cession of Luxemburg.

So far as the payment for losses is concerned, Belgium reckons her losses unofficially at 38,000,000,000 francs (\$7,600,000,000).

The Scheldt river flows through Belgium on most of its course. North of Antwerp the Scheldt enters Holland. This situation is awkward for Belgium, in that entrance to her principal port is controlled by another nation. The giving of the south bank of the Scheldt to Belgium would mean cession of part of the Dutch Province of Zeeland.

### DISPOSITION OF EX-GERMAN SHIPS

**Statement Surrendered War-  
craft May Be Sunk Surprises  
Washington Officials**

Washington, Nov. 26.—The suggestion from London that naval vessels surrendered by Germany under the armistice may be sunk to avoid possible disagreement among the Allied nations as to their disposition was received by naval officials here with evident surprise. Secretary Daniels said to-day that the proposition had never been mentioned to him and he was certain American naval representatives had suggested no such plan.

No intimation has been given as to the policy of the United States in this regard. Admiral Benson, the ranking officer among the American delegates, received full instructions before his departure, however.

If the Versailles Conference should decree that the German warships should be distributed among the Allies according to naval losses, the United States would obtain only one destroyer and one armored cruiser, the major ships going to Britain, France and Italy.

### AMERICANS CANCEL CONTRACTS IN FRANCE

**Works and Supplies Aggregat-  
ing \$1,000,000,000 Stopped  
Since Armistice Signed**

Tours, France, Nov. 26.—Contracts aggregating \$1,000,000,000 have been cancelled by the American Expeditionary Forces since the signing of the armistice. In future the British, French and American Governments will pool their surplus stocks, and will buy through a common purchasing agency.

Forty thousand men engaged in the American supply service will be sent to advanced areas as replacements for the army of occupation. The supply department will continue its routine work as long as necessary.

Forty-three construction projects, including a deepwater dock for twenty ships, terminals, warehouses and railroads have been cancelled. Orders for 2,500 locomotives, 61,000 railroad cars and hundreds of cranes, tugs, barges and derricks also have been cancelled. The transport programme has been reduced materially, while the ordnance department has been cut down by two-thirds. The reduction in the air service has not as yet been announced.

### CASE OF CAILLAUX

Paris, Nov. 26.—Joseph Caillaux, former Premier of France, who is charged with treason, has been removed from the military prison to the prison de la Santé, because the judicial over his case is political rather than military.

### LEADER OF JUGO-SLAVS IN SOUTHERN EUROPE; PRINCE ALEXANDER



### CROWN PRINCE ALEXANDER OF SERBIA MADE REGENT OF NEW JUGO-SLAV STATE

Basel, Nov. 26.—Crown Prince Alexander of Serbia has been appointed Regent of the Jugo-Slav State by the National Council at Agram, according to a Laibach dispatch. A State Council, comprising all the members of the Agram Council, fifty delegates from Serbia and five from Montenegro, has been summoned to meet at Sarajevo. This Council will appoint a Cabinet for the Jugo-Slav State.

It has been decided further that Prince Alexander will appoint Governors at Belgrade, Serbia; Cetinje, Montenegro; Laibach, Slavonia; Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina; Spalato, Dalmatia, and Agram, Croatia. As soon as the situation is settled elections will be held for a Constituent Assembly, which will sit at Sarajevo, and definitely decide upon the form of state that will be set up and adopt a constitution.

### MEN WHO SERVED LONGEST HOME FIRST

**Mewburn Says Demobilization  
Officials Will Consider  
Length of Service**

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 26.—Major Gen. Mewburn, Minister of Militia, spoke before the Canadian Club here last night at a luncheon. He said that in demobilization the soldiers who had seen the longest service would be the first brought home.

He suggested that a hall should be erected here in memory of the fallen. The military General Mewburn said, had not received proper recognition. Every member of the local corps who was physically fit had gone overseas. Although the Canadian force had suffered 54,000 casualties after August 8 last, it had entered Mons at full strength.

Some of his former friends had wanted to assassinate him because their sons had been drafted. After the armistice had been signed he found there were 16,000 men on harvest leave. Thus he believed that he had kept faith with the farmers.

People were begging and even threatening him to allow their sons to come home in time for Christmas. In many cases it was impossible to do so.

The club passed a resolution asking Sir Robert Borden to request that the ex-Kaiser be placed on trial for the atrocities committed during the war.

**American Demobilization.**  
London, Nov. 26.—In planning the withdrawal of American troops from the United Kingdom as soon as possible, American army officers have decided that the only units which will remain are a few of the medical service and the staffs of the rest camps.

When the Mauretania sailed yesterday she took between 5,000 and 6,000 men from the Army corps. It is planned to dispatch a steamship to the United States every day this week.

**Women and Children.**  
London, Nov. 26.—Passports to fiancées of men living in the Dominions will now be granted when it is shown the engagement is of not less than two years' standing, but wives and children will receive preference in transportation.

### BAN AT LETHBRIDGE

Lethbridge, Nov. 26.—The ban on theatres and public gatherings here has been ordered lifted on Friday. The churches will re-open Sunday and the schools on Monday.

### Esthonians Called to Colors to Drive Out Bolshevik Troops

London, Nov. 26.—Russian Bolshevik troops have crossed the river Narva on a broad front and have entered Esthonia, between the Gulf of Finland and Lake Peipus, says a Central News dispatch from Stockholm to-day.

A general mobilization had been ordered in Esthonia, where the German troops are expected to leave within a fortnight, the dispatch adds.

### Unconfirmed Report Steamer Was Lost in Gulf of St. Lawrence

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 26.—There is an unconfirmed report here of the loss of the steamer Enterprise, plying between Souris, Pictou, and the Magdalen Islands.

She left Souris Friday evening for the Magdalen Islands.

Halifax, Nov. 26.—The Marine and Fisheries Department agency here has no knowledge of the unconfirmed report from Charlottetown that the steamer Enterprise has been lost.

### REPORTS BY BAVARIAN MINISTER AT BERLIN TO MUNICH ADDED TO EVIDENCE TEUTONS PLANNED WAR

### Marshal Foch Now Has Headquarters in City of Luxemburg

Luxemburg, Nov. 26.—Marshal Foch, the Allied Commander-in-Chief, has established his headquarters here. He arrived in Luxemburg yesterday with his staff. No ceremonies were held in honor of his entrance.

### Session at Ottawa Probably Will Begin Thursday, January 16

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—Although the date has not yet been definitely fixed, it is expected that Parliament will be summoned to meet on or about Thursday, January 16.

### Lethbridge Rotary Club Says Wilhelm Should Be Punished

Lethbridge, Nov. 26.—The Rotary Club passed a resolution yesterday setting on foot a movement for endorsement throughout Canada that the ex-Kaiser of Germany, and those responsible for crimes committed in Belgium and France be not allowed to escape just punishment. The resolution will be passed on to the other associations in Canada.

### Teutons Lose Seats on Exchanges in the United States

New York, Nov. 26.—Four enemy-owned seats on the New York Stock Exchange, the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, the New York Cotton Exchange and other markets have been seized by A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian. It was announced to-day that the seats will be sold shortly to American citizens.

### RELEASED BRITISHERS TELL MORE DETAILS Former Prisoners Arriving From Germany Describe Abuse by Teutons

London, Nov. 26.—(British Wireless Service).—Many shocking stories of their treatment are told by British prisoners who have reached the United Kingdom from Germany. Unfortunate Britishers who arrived at Friedrichsfeld, Prussia, after hostilities ceased, had a hard time. They had been taken prisoner shortly before or during the British advance and were compelled to work behind the lines, being driven from place to place "like something lower than beasts."

Of one working party of 1,500 only 282 came into Friedrichsfeld. From twenty to thirty daily went into hospital and fifty of the party died during the first week in camp. Several of the men said that they had caught smallpox and eaten them while on the march.

It was admitted by the German doctors, advisers state, that a large proportion of the 800 British prisoners at a camp at Lasquin (Laskin) nine miles from Brussels, died from starvation or exposure.

### GERMANS DESIRE TO Keep Steamships and Build for the Allies

London, Nov. 26.—The German Government has adopted the programme framed by the late Albert Ballin, director of the Hamburg-American Line, and the shipowners' unions binding Germany to build ships exclusively for the Allies at fixed prices, in return for which Germany would retain her merchant fleet, says a dispatch to The Daily Express from Amsterdam.

### LUDEENDORFF, ONCE GERMAN ARMY CHIEF, NOW IN SWEDEN

Copenhagen, Nov. 26.—General Ludendorff, reputed to have been the actual directing head of Germany's military affairs, has quit German soil, according to The Frankfort Gazette. It says he left Sassenitz, Prussia, for Sweden.

Ludendorff's titular position in the German military system was that of First-Quartermaster-General.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The German delegates at the mixed conference at Spa, have protested against the rejection of their request that the Germans be granted a delay of two weeks in evacuating Luxemburg, Lorraine and the Saar region. General Nudant, one of the French conferees, stated that he considered this protest wholly groundless.

### Messages Sent to Bavarian Government at Midsum- mer, 1914, Published in Munich; Berlin Socialist and Spartacus Papers Demand Guilty Be Tried

London, Nov. 26.—(British Wireless Service).—Publication of official reports from the Bavarian Minister at Berlin in July and August, 1914, to his home Government, confirms evidence in the hands of the Entente that Germany and Austria conspired to bring about the war. It was for this reason that the terms of Austria's ultimatum to Serbia were made so drastic that hostilities were bound to follow.

The revelations have been published in Munich after permission had been asked by the Bavarian Premier of the Foreign Minister of the German Federal Government. They are in the form of reports sent to Munich in July and August, 1914, by Count von Lerchenfeld, then Bavarian Minister at Berlin.

According to a report sent on July 18, 1914, the delivery of the ultimatum to Serbia was delayed until after President Poincare and Premier Viviani of France had gone to St. Petersburg, which would make it difficult for the Entente nations to arrive at an understanding and take counter-measures.

Count von Lerchenfeld said that "Serbia obviously cannot accept such conditions as will be laid down," and that as a consequence "there must be war." He declared that action on the part of Austria could not be long delayed, for that might give Serbia, under pressure from France and Russia, an opportunity to offer satisfaction.

In a telegram to Munich from Berlin on July 31, 1914, Count von Lerchenfeld said that Sir Edward Grey's efforts to preserve peace would "certainly not succeed in arresting the course of events." Later the same day he wired information as to ultimatum to Russia and France, forecast their rejection by both nations and told of plans to hurl Germany's armies against France, which he said would be overwhelmed in four weeks. He said the morale of the French army was poor and that it was poorly armed.

**Violation of Neutrality.**  
On August 4 the Bavarian Minister outlined Germany's intention to violate the neutrality of Belgium, saying: "The Chief of the General Staff has decided that even British neutrality will be paid for too dearly if the price is respect of Belgium. An attack on France is possible only through Belgium."

**Trial of Guilty.**  
Berlin, Nov. 26.—"We demand the immediate convening of a revolutionary tribunal for the purpose of passing sentence on the Hohenzollerns, father and son, and on Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg (former Chancellor of Germany), and von Jagow and Zimmermann (former German Foreign Secretaries)," says The Red Flag, the organ of Dr. Karl Liebknecht, in commenting on the disclosures made in Munich concerning the complicity of Germany in bringing about the war.

The Spartacus organ also demands a reckoning with the Socialist leaders, Ebert, David, Molkenbuehr and others, for participation in propaganda calculated to absolve Germany from responsibility for causing the war.

**Lies, Says Vorwaerts.**  
"We were told that the German Government had no knowledge of Austria's ultimatum to Serbia. It was a lie," says The Vorwaerts. "Berlin was said to have admitted Vienna to go slow. It was a lie."

**Trials Demanded.**  
The organ of the Independent Socialists, Die Freiheit, says: "They committed high treason. We can not lay hands on Wilhelm and his son, but it is hoped that they will yet be brought to justice. Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, former Chancellor, and von Jagow and Zimmermann (former German Foreign Secretaries) who were their tools, must forthwith be arrested and brought into court."

### AUSTRIANS BREAK ARMISTICE TERMS

**Release Italian Prisoners With-  
out Food and Without  
Proper Clothing**

Rome, Nov. 26.—Austria-Hungary is violating the armistice by releasing Italian prisoners without food and poorly clothed, says an official note issued through the Stefani Agency. The Italian prisoners also are being set free all at once instead of in successive sections. The note adds: "The enemy's last attempt to trouble the natural development of our operations and exasperate the people of the liberated regions has succeeded only in prolonging the suffering of the prisoners without shaking their faith in their country."

Berne, Nov. 26.—Via London, Nov. 26.—Madame Rosika Schwimmer, of Ford peace party fame, who has accepted the post of Hungarian Ambassador to Switzerland, being the first woman to receive such an appointment, declared to the Associated Press correspondent here to-day that the food needs of Hungary were "nowhere near urgent." However, she added, there is some danger owing to the lack of coal.

The situation in Hungary is such, Mrs. Schwimmer continued, that the Government would be willing to abide by any decision of a peace conference "no matter how unfavorable," because the Government is helpless. Hungarians, both extremists and reactionaries, she says, have joined their efforts to create an orderly and democratic Government. Hungary has given up Croatia, Fiume and other districts because she recognized they belonged elsewhere. Persecution has prevailed in Hungary since the war, she added, but there is no danger from the troops returning to the front.

### JUGO-SLAV RACES AND THE ITALIANS

**Former Offer Opposition to Oc-  
cupation of Regions by  
Latter**

London, Nov. 26.—The carrying out of the provisions of the Italian-Austrian armistice in the eastern and northeastern Adriatic regions has aroused much friction and jealousy on the part of the Jugo-Slav population, who ascribe to Italy the intention of permanently occupying these regions, which are virtually identical with those assigned to Italy by the Allied agreement of 1915. The Jugo-Slavs contend that the occupation should have been by mixed Allied forces and not solely by Italians.

The Italian occupation of Fiume has been followed by a strong protest to the Entente Powers from the Croatian National Council at Agram. It is reported that at some points the occupation led to regrettable incidents between the Italians and the Jugo-Slavs, and to these points mixed forces have since been sent.

The Associated Press learns that the Allied Governments are doing everything possible to promote a friendly settlement between the rival parties pending the final adjustment of the conflicting claims at the peace conference.

### SAYS HUNGARY WILL ABIDE BY DECISION

**Woman Ambassador to Swit-  
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IN PARIS VICINITY.

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Paris, Nov. 26.—The Temps says the German mission which will take part in the negotiation of peace preliminaries will not be quartered in Paris, but in the immediate vicinity of the city.

State College, Pa., Nov. 26.—Fire last night destroyed the Pennsylvania State College Engineering School building and equipment. The loss is estimated at \$300,000.

## WINTER WEATHER IN NORTHERN RUSSIA

Freezing of Rivers and Swamps Affects Allied Operations There

Archangel, Nov. 25.—Via London, Nov. 26.—Winter has begun in earnest over the whole northern Russian front. All the rivers are ice-bound and the Bolshevik gunboats, which have long menaced the Allied forces on the Dvina, have been forced to withdraw to escape being frozen in. The Bolsheviks, however, have mounted big guns along the front of the Allied armies.

Operations are limited to spasmodic artillery exchanges, but the Bolshevik forces are reported to be receiving reinforcements. The freeze-up, while bringing relief on the Dvina front, increases the dangers on others, as the once impassable swamps are now frozen, making possible bushwhacking flank attacks by the enemy. The correspondent has just returned from a trip along the front, where he found a general reversal of the opinion that the Bolsheviks would not fight. Near Kadish a fortnight ago a body of Bolshevik infantry maintained an advance against strong machine gun fire. A Russian resident in talking with American soldiers regarding this attack, said the Bolshevik officers had threatened them that they would be killed the next day if they should fail to advance. The cold is so intense on some sectors of the front that the Americans sleep with their machine guns rolled in the blankets with them to prevent the water cooling chambers of the guns freezing.

## SOLDIERS IN NEW YORK CHASED SOCIALISTS

New York, Nov. 26.—Hundreds of soldiers, sailors and marines broke through a cordon of police surrounding Madison Square Garden last night and attacked international Socialists who had attended a mass meeting at which Bolshevik doctrines were expounded. The men and women leaving the hall broke and fled as the men in uniform charged past the police, but were pursued into the side streets in all directions. The attack on the Socialists came at the close of a meeting which threatened from the moment it began to break into a riot. It was called ostensibly to protest against the execution of Thomas J. Mooney, but Scott Nearing, who presided, and the other speakers devoted most of their attention to pleas for the release of "political" offenders.

WILL GO WITH WILSON.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Ambassador J. J. Jusserand of France, and Madame Jusserand will accompany President Wilson to France.

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## NOW CHARGED WITH ANOTHER MURDER

Carmel, Held in Saskatchewan, Charged by Gervais With Killing A. Lajoie

Regina, Nov. 26.—New developments in the Steep Creek murders were revealed yesterday when Dr. Gervais furnished another thrill to the authorities. The "Doctor" expressed a desire to talk, and intimated that he had something important to convey—nothing short of the details of another murder, and the following is what he told the police officers: "Victor Carmel shot and killed Adolphe Lajoie about a year ago, burned his body by setting fire to the bed and shack, and to hide the crime placed a clay pipe between the bed and the body, as if to indicate that the murdered man had set fire accidentally to the bed on which he was lying. Go to the grave and you will find that the skull of Lajoie has a bullet hole in the forehead. Lajoie was my partner in the farm at Steep Creek, and you can see the joint agreement of purchase."

Dr. Gervais, who was visibly relieved when he had made the statement, continued to give the details of the "killing" and the beginning of the reign of terror by three of the most desperate men who have been within the confines of Saskatchewan. Carmel, following a quarrel with Lajoie, Gervais said, took down the rifle, examined one, and finding it suitable to his purpose, loaded it and walked up to Lajoie, calling him a vile name, then sent a bullet through his forehead. Lajoie died instantly.

About a week later Constable Tyne, of the Provincial Police, investigated with a coroner. The charred remains only were found, and the coroner did not deem an inquest necessary as there was sufficient evidence as to the theory of accidental fire. After Gervais had recounted his story the police immediately went to the grave where the remains of Lajoie were buried, exhumed them and found the skull with the bullet into the centre of the forehead. This is now in Prince Albert and will be used as evidence against Carmel, who is to be charged with the murder of Lajoie.

## SIR CHARLES ROSS CLAIMS \$19,000,000 FROM THE DOMINION

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—When the Dominion Government in the spring of 1917 appropriated the Ross rifle factory at Quebec it fixed the limit of compensation to be paid. Sir Charles Ross, the owner, comes forward now with a demand for nearly \$19,000,000. Sir Charles has filed with the Secretary of State a petition of right to sue the Government for the amount claimed.

Experts for months have been working on the case, preparing a statement of claim. The amount embraced not only the value of the plant, but loss of profits on contracts with the Canadian and Imperial Governments. Ten million dollars of the total is claimed from the Government on account of breach of contract before the property was expropriated. The alleged breach consisted in the Government buying large quantities of rifles from other concerns before it had taken the entire output of the Ross rifle factory as it was bound under the contract to do. An additional sum of \$10,921,133.17 claimed as the estimated value of the property as a going concern. A third item is for \$11,697,556 which Sir Charles claims to be still owing him for rifles and bayonets. Out of this total the claimant subtracts \$1,692,974.91 for advances made to him on deliveries and another \$244,021. This leaves the \$18,897,624.08 claimed.

Sir Charles asks that the clause in the Order-in-Council limiting or seeking to limit the compensation to \$3,000,000 be set aside as ultra vires and of no effect.

## ANTI-PERUVIAN RIOTS IN CHILEAN CITIES; CONSULS WITHDRAWN

Lima, Peru, Nov. 26.—It is officially announced that Peru has withdrawn her consuls from Chile as a result of the renewal of anti-Peruvian rioting in Iquique and Antofagasta.

The Tacna-Arica controversy apparently is approaching a critical stage following anti-Peruvian demonstration in Iquique. The residences of Peruvians and their business houses are reported to have been stoned and looted. The Peruvian Club was closed, and the Peruvian consul was forcibly placed aboard the Chilean steamer Palena, bound for Callao.

Iquique dispatches indicate that no attempt was made by the Chilean authorities to prevent the anti-Peruvian outbreak, although a strong garrison is maintained at that port.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 26.—Peruvian newspapers call upon the Government to request a cessation of anti-Peruvian demonstrations in Chile. They declare that if the demonstrations continue anti-Chilean outrages may be expected in Peru.

The demonstrations grew out of the differences between Chile and Peru concerning the border provinces of Tacna and Arica.

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 26.—The Chilean Government has decided to withdraw its consuls in Peru in order to avoid untoward incidents which might take place in case of outbreaks in Peru and Chile.

A dispatch from Lima, received in New York last night, said:

"The Peruvian Government has not received any dispatches from its consular representatives in Chile for forty-eight hours, although it has recalled its consuls from Chile. The newspapers here have received no news from their correspondents in Chile, and it is believed that a strict cable censorship is in force at all Chilean ports."

Peruvian consuls in Chile have been ordered to return by the first steamship and the Peruvian steamship Urubamba, now at Valparaiso, has been ordered to bring to Callao all Peruvians desiring to leave Chile.

The reported cancellation by the Peruvian Government of all the ex-consuls of Chilean consuls in Peru is incorrect.

## ELECTION MANIFESTO ISSUED IN BRITAIN

Lloyd George and Bonar Law Appeal to Voters for Support

London, Nov. 26.—(Canadian Press Dispatch from Reuters).—Mr. Lloyd George and Chancellor Bonar Law have issued a joint manifesto in Great Britain and Ireland, appealing for support and continued unity and outlining their policy, of which the following points amplify speeches cabled on November 15:

"The conclusion of a just and lasting peace and the establishing of the foundation of a new Europe in such a way that further wars may be forever averted; reduction of the burden of armaments and the promotion of a League of Nations; state acquisition of land for soldiers and sailors, either for cottages with garden allotments or small holdings on a wide scale; schemes for agricultural development and extensive afforestation and reclamation schemes; comprehensive housing schemes; larger industrial opportunities; improved material conditions of employment."

The manifesto continues: "It will be the fundamental object of the Coalition Government to promote the unity of our Empire and of the nations of which it is composed, and to preserve for them a position of influence and authority which they have gained by their sacrifices and efforts in the cause of humanity and liberty."

## CREW OF LAST SHIP SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE LAND

Bergen, Nov. 26.—The crew of the last victim of the German submarine warfare, the Christiania steamship Ever, torpedoed on the evening of November 11, has arrived here. The steamship was making her maiden voyage. The sailors say that the submarine crew claimed to have sunk on the same day a British transport on the way to Archangel with 3,000 soldiers.

## BOLSHEVIST ADMIRERS ORGANIZE IN MONTEVIDEO

Montevideo, Nov. 26.—A circular was distributed throughout the city yesterday, saying:

"There has been organized in Montevideo the Soviet of Uruguay, with the sole object of propagating a revolution of the Russian Maximalists."

CHICORY DESTROYED.

Montreal, Nov. 26.—Damage estimated at \$12,000 was done in the destruction by fire early Saturday morning at Lacelle, a junction, where is one of the only two plants for the manufacture of chicory in Canada. Seventy thousand pounds of chicory was destroyed.

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## MANY WAR HONORS WON BY CANADIANS

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—A list of honors and decorations won by members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, compiled by the Militia Department, shows that forty Victoria Crosses, the highest honor, have been awarded to soldiers of the Dominion. The Distinguished Service Order was won by 491 Canadians, and 1,457 Military Crosses were awarded officers of the C. E. F.

The Military Medal, corresponding to the Military Cross, but granted to non-commissioned officers and men, was awarded to 1,457 Canadian soldiers, and the Distinguished Conduct Medal to 1,628.

Canadians mentioned in dispatches numbered 3,333.

Of foreign honors awarded to Canadians, the French Croix de Guerre heads the list in point of number. Three hundred and five members of the C. E. F. won this decoration. The Russian Cross of St. George was given to 102 men from the Dominion, and the French Medaille Militaire to forty-five.

Twenty men from Canada won the bronze medal for military valor.

A number of distinctions, including 125 C. M. G.'s, also were awarded to members of the C. E. F.

EXPLOSIVES EXPORTABLE.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—The War Trade Board announces the cancellation of the restrictions prohibiting the exportation of explosives containing more than 42 per cent. of nitro-glycerine. Exporters therefore can resume their normal export business along this line.

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## 709 BOMBING RAIDS BY BRITISH AIRMEN

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London, Nov. 25.—Statistics published relative to the work of the Independent Air Force show that during the thirteen months preceding the armistice the astonishing total of 709 bombing raids was made by British aviators over German territory.

There were 374 air raids on large German towns, 209 on German aero-

dromes established for the defence of the Rhine and 186 on other military objectives. The list of large towns visited show that fifty-two were bombed during the period. In all 737 tons of bombs were dropped.

## CROSSING OF DUTCH REVER BY GERMANS

Paris, Nov. 25.—The note issued by the Dutch Legation here explaining that German troops were permitted to cross the Dutch province of Limburg in the interest of the Belgian population after agreement with the Allied representatives, the semi-official Havas Agency says, is inaccurate. The Allied representatives were asked to inform their respective Governments of the conditions of the authorization for the Germans to pass through Limburg. They expressed no opinion, the Havas Agency adds, inasmuch as they were told of the violation of neutrality only after the Germans had entered Limburg.

## SURRENDERED GERMAN WARSHIPS PROBABLY WILL BE SENT DOWN

London, Nov. 25.—The correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at Scapa Flow says that after an inspection of the German battleships and cruisers surrendered to the Entente and final settlement of their ownership by the peace conference, all the vessels probably will be sunk, as apparently there is no disposition on the part of the Entente to risk the controversies that would be likely in case of an attempted division of them.

A tenth German dreadnought remains to be turned over by Germany, and another destroyer has been demanded in place of the one which was sunk by a mine in the passage across the North Sea.

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## FRENCH TROOPS IN CITY OF STRASBOURG

Ceremonial Entry Yesterday;  
Promotion of Castelnau to  
Be Marshal Announced

Paris, Nov. 25.—A War Office announcement on the official entry of the French into Strasbourg issued last evening, said:

"Marshal Petain, accompanied by General de Castelnau, to-day (Monday) made entry into Strasbourg at the head of the troops of the army of General Gouraud. He was received with enthusiastic acclamations. As the French regiments marched into the noble Alsatian city, which was magnificently adorned with the national colors, the cry of 'Vive la France' was heard often repeated. The entire people expressed their joy at being reunited with the motherland, and affirmed to the world the unshaken attachment of Alsace to France."

On the French front the troops continued their advance during the course of the day, in Luxembourg, where they occupied Merzig, Bellen, Heidescheid, and Lutzerath. The French are also in the French cavalry has entered Luxembourg.

Castelnau a Marshal.

Paris, Nov. 25.—The afternoon papers here were permitted to announce yesterday that the Cabinet to-day would promote General Edouard de Castelnau to be a Marshal of France.

It was later announced that "Notwithstanding rumors to the contrary in circulation, the Government at present is considering the appointment of additional Marshals of France."

General de Castelnau was born in 1851 and saw his first military activity in the Franco-Prussian War, where he won the rank of captain.

After the war he rose gradually in rank by reason of his remarkable military intelligence and active capacity until in 1909 he was made a general and became a collaborator with General Joffre on the General Staff.

When the present war broke out Gen. de Castelnau was given command in Lorraine and with his "Iron Division" singularly defeated the Germans at Nancy. For this co-operation he became popularly known as "the Savior of Nancy."

In 1915 General de Castelnau was appointed Chief of Staff, which post he held until December, 1916, when it was abolished. Several months later reports that General de Castelnau was to be made a Marshal. When he relinquished the post of Chief of the General Staff, the Chamber of Deputies by special decree permitted him to remain on the active list of the army notwithstanding the fact that he had reached the age limit.

General de Castelnau lost three sons killed in battle during the present war.

## DEMILITARIZATION IS PROCEEDING NOW IN THE DOMINION

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—Demilitarization is proceeding in Canada in each of the military districts at the rate of 100 to 200 a day, and with the exception of some 4,000 Category A men to be retained for garrison purposes, all men in Canada not in hospitals or convalescent homes will be back in civilian clothes at an early date.

Ten thousand men are to return to Canada toward the end of the month from overseas. These include units which never saw service, the First and Second Tank Battalions being among them; lower category men and others. This movement back to Canada, however, is not really part of the overseas demilitarization, which will not start in earnest for some time. It is simply a clearing of decks for the big movement to come.

Meanwhile the Canadian army in France, numbering more than 100,000, is still an army of conquest to all intents and purposes, which is proceeding on its methodical march towards the German border, where it will occupy certain portions of the territory east of the Rhine. This will not, however, constitute the army of occupation as popularly understood. The army of occupation will be composed of volunteers.

Thirty-five hundred invalided men are expected back next month. These will return on hospital ships. A large number of women and children also are coming back on passenger ships.

Toronto, Nov. 25.—Within two months, or about the end of January next, the bulk of the 12,000 mechanics and cadets who form the personnel of the Royal Air Force here, having been discharged and sent back to civil life, according to an authoritative announcement at the local headquarters of the R. A. F.

## GENERAL UNION OF LABORERS IN BRAZIL HAS BEEN DISSOLVED

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 25.—The Government has dissolved the General Union of Laborers on the ground that it is an anarchist organization. The Government charges that this union has attempted to provoke a Social revolution throughout Brazil.

## CANADA'S OCTOBER BANK REPORT ISSUED

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—The chief figures of the October bank report for Canada, as compared with October, 1917, are:

October, 1918	October, 1917
Reserve fund	\$ 111,125,000
Note circulation	227,597,808
Bank deposits	444,220,998
Notice deposits	1,076,514,000
Deposits on hand	224,291,096
Current coin	75,540,845
Commodity notes	157,252,518
Deposits central bank	123,900,000
Call loans, out	75,555,138
Call loans, in	175,040,858
Current loans	1,003,599,000
Current loans, outside	112,889,999
Total liabilities	2,312,119,206
Total assets	2,316,250,232

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## CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—The following casualties have just been issued:

**Infantry.**  
Killed in action—Lieut. C. E. G. Robertson, England; Lieut. W. C. McCaul, Owen Sound, Ont.; Capt. M. C. Roberts, M.C. Stoney Creek, Ont.  
Wounded—Lieut. W. W. Copeland, Collingwood, Ont.; Lieut. D. K. Macdonell, U. S. A.; Lieut. A. P. Johnston, Toronto; Lieut. M. E. Amos, Lower Derby, N.B.; Lieut. F. L. Moore, Economy Point, N.S.; Lieut. A. H. Creighton, Dartmouth, N.S.; Capt. F. H. Dunham, Toronto; Lieut. J. J. Marshall, Quebec; Pte. S. Best, Ireland; Pte. E. P. Causton, Toronto; Pte. J. P. Carter, Brantford, Ont.; Pte. C. V. Barber, Winnipeg; Pte. H. Aschauer, U. S. A.; Pte. A. Clement, Lachute, P.Q.; Pte. W. W. Collins, London, Ont.; Pte. P. Williams, Placentia, Nfld.; Pte. O. Brown, Ottawa; Pte. E. Brunson, Hartney, Man.; Pte. E. J. Sheridan, Toronto; Pte. J. Burns, St. John, N.B.; Pte. W. J. Taggart, Eastview, Ont.; Pte. H. V. Stone, Lower Sackville, N.S.; Pte. M. Nickerson, Clarke's Harbour, N.S.; Pte. W. L. Mulholland, Lynden, Ont.; Sergt. F. Jackson, England; Pte. A. Knifton, England; Pte. P. Laurent, Italy; Pte. A. Inglis, Scotland; Pte. S. Meaney, Lethbridge, P.Q.; Pte. G. Moodie, Scotland; Pte. S. Deely, England; Pte. M. McGregor, Jacques River, N.B.; Pte. H. S. Saulnier, Weymouth, N.S.; Pte. T. M. Roussay, Scotland; Pte. A. Tessier, England; Pte. A. Thomson, Scotland; Pte. D. Belletti, Italy; Pte. H. S. Dohie, Scotland; Pte. D. F. Cummings, Scotland; Pte. J. H. Crane, England; Sergt. C. Connolly, North Bay, Ont.; Pte. O. Carriere, Ottawa; Pte. R. Christopher, Ketchikan, Alaska; Pte. H. M. Versteeg, Holland; Pte. J. J. Williams, England; Lance-Corpl. E. Thacker, Wales; Corpl. W. Stewart, Scotland; Pte. O. Gunder, Norway; Pte. L. Griffin, England; Pte. J. E. McKenzie, Scotland; Pte. E. Cadman, England; Pte. F. W. Cheeseman, England; Corpl. B. B. Blamey, England; Pte. G. Lacey, England; Pte. G. Birrell, England; Pte. W. Branson, England; Pte. J. P. Cobb, Crapaud, P. E. I.; Pte. W. Armour, Scotland; Pte. W. L. Pozer, St. George, P.Q.  
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## Cavalry.

Died of wounds—Tpr. H. E. Newton, Truro, N.S.  
Died—Tpr. W. E. C. Law, Winnipeg; Tpr. R. Dixon, England.  
Wounded—Tpr. H. E. Corbett, Winnipeg.  
Ill—Tpr. J. W. Alton, Edmonton, Alta.; Tpr. H. V. Sharpe, Owen Sound, Ont.

## Artillery.

Killed in action—Gnr. F. Plummer, Toronto; Acting Bdr. N. Hoffmeyer, Millbank, Ont.  
Died of wounds—Dvr. F. Laycock, North Sydney, N.S.; Gnr. A. Clark, Port Dalhousie, Ont.; Gnr. J. A. Harris, Moncton, N.B.; Sergt. A. W. Youell, Aylmer West, Ont.; Gnr. C. L. Cleland, McAdam Junction, N.B.; Bdr. H. G. Hunter, Brantford, Ont.

Died—Corpl. R. V. Demore, Sudbury, Ont.; Gnr. H. Armstrong, St. John, N.B.; Dvr. J. Cameron, U. S. A.; Wounded—Bdr. T. J. Alton, Edmonton, Alta.; Gnr. J. F. Harvey, U. S. A.; Acting-Corpl. C. D. Grimshaw, Guelph, Ont.; Sig. A. Davis, Wolfe Island, Ont.; Gnr. R. Gutter, England; Gnr. G. F. Hillier, England; Gnr. L. R. Lawless, Toronto; Gnr. A. Whitbourn, England; Sig. G. E. Lockwood, Toronto; Bdr. P. Hagen, Arbury, Man.; Gnr. W. G. Ellis, Belleville, Ont.; Gnr. G. A. Ames, Toronto; Dvr. L. S. Ours, Toronto; Dvr. A. Lepine, Ottawa.

Gassed—Corpl. J. A. Henry, Montreal; Gnr. F. L. Darling, Kincardine, Ont.; Sig. N. D. Veldor, Kincardine, Ont.; Acting-Bdr. W. G. Milligan, Regina, Sask.; Gnr. A. Tulippe, Lower Uegua, N.B.

## Mounted Rifles.

Wounded—Tpr. J. E. Storey, Toronto; Tpr. D. Miller, Cobourg, Ont.; Tpr. W. E. Nixon, St. Catharines, Ont.; Tpr. J. A. McIver, Popopolis, P.Q.; Tpr. W. Houghton, London, Ont.; Lance-Sergt. W. Houghton, London, Ont.; Tpr. J. Carpenter, Parkhill, Ont.; Tpr. J. St. Pierre, Montpelier, New Ont.; Lance-Corpl. H. J. Westoby, Stratford, Ont.; Tpr. J. A. Watson, Weyburn, Sask.; Corpl. A. E. Traves, Orléans, Ont.; Acting-Corpl. H. Lawrence, Bury,

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Engineers.  
Wounded—Sgt. E. H. Williams, South Wales; Spr. W. Brown, St. Pierre, P.Q.; Spr. G. W. Snider, Cayuga, Ont.  
Gassed—Sgt. G. Machon, St. Mary's Ferry, N.B.; Spr. A. Martell, St. Damase, P.Q.; Corpl. W. J. Montgomery, Warman, Sask.; Corpl. H. A. McGinn, Three Brooks, N.B.; Spr. J. D. Clark, Toronto; Spr. H. McDonald, Ireland; Sergt. G. LeGallais, Channel Islands; Spr. L. E. Pace, Malta.

## HUNGARIANS NAME WOMAN AMBASSADOR

Berne, Nov. 25.—Via London, Nov. 25.—The first woman to be appointed an Ambassador has been named by the Hungarian Government for the post of Switzerland. She is the Hungarian writer and pacifist Rosika Schwimmer, who now resides in Switzerland. Madame Rosika Schwimmer has been credited with being the originator of the Ford peace ship idea, and one of the prominent figures in the mission.

## ADVANCE OF AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION

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## SIXTY DREADNOUGHTS.

The Grand Fleet, which, under Sir David Beatty, took the surrender of a large part of the German navy, included over sixty dreadnoughts and more than 300 other war vessels of various types, some fifty-five of the big fighting ships being British.

It is not hard to picture the impression that the demonstration of seapower must have made on the officers and crews of the German ships, who must have felt inexpressibly thankful that the revolution countermanded the order of the German Admiralty for them to engage the Grand Fleet in battle.

When the war began Great Britain had thirty dreadnoughts—battleships and battlecruisers. This total was increased to thirty-five by the acquisition of four dreadnoughts being constructed in British yards for foreign countries. In 1915 Britain had forty. The acceleration of the shipbuilding programme added many more mighty vessels in record time until the British fleet was approximately twice as large as that of Germany.

Great Britain has lost five ships of the dreadnought class, counting the Audacious—if she was lost—and including the three battlecruisers lost in the battle of Jutland. The fifth was the Vanguard which blew up. Hence, the fighting power of the British Navy in first-class battleships and battlecruisers has virtually been doubled since 1914.

## HE KNEW SIX MONTHS AGO.

Last June, our readers may recall, M. Clemenceau, on returning to Paris from one of his almost daily trips to the battlefield, sent for his physician and demanded a thorough examination. After the doctor had asked the doctor if he was good for six months. The physician said there was every likelihood that his distinguished patient would last more than six months, notwithstanding his advanced age. "Well," "The Tiger" grimly replied, "all I want is six months."

Within six months of that examination the enemy collapsed. Clemenceau evidently was not surprised at the developments. He expected them and without doubt Foch, with whom he is in constant consultation, led him to expect them. Time and again Paris reported Clemenceau saying that the situation at the front was "satisfactory," which meant that it was satisfactory to Foch. If more attention had been given to those brief daily comments of Clemenceau there would have been less pessimism every time the enemy made a plunge forward.

In their big offensives the Germans were playing into Foch's hands and the commander-in-chief knew it. They were gaining ground, but weakening their vital forces in doing so against the day would launch the decisive battle which everybody at all familiar with his theory and practice of war must have expected sooner or later.

Six months ago Foch planned to end the war in year. Clemenceau knew it and had every reason to expect that Foch's plans would be carried out. That is why he wanted to be sure that he could live that long.

## DE CASTLENAU A MARSHAL.

It often has been said in Paris that the soldier who most nearly approached Foch in military genius is General de Castelnau, the latest chieftain to be made a Marshal of France. There are some, indeed, who claim that de Castelnau is the equal of a commander-in-chief as a strategist. His defence of the heights of Nancy in 1914 on the eve of a battle of the Marne always will rank as one of the most important victories of the war. It was a first severe check the enemy suffered in the early weeks of the struggle and was largely responsible for the crucial Franco-British victory that followed.

The German plan of campaign against France in 1914 consisted of a furious attack on the flanks with heavy pressure in the centre. The right wing was to force its way through Belgium, enveloping the Franco-British front on its left. The German left wing was to emerge from Alsace, bathe its way to Nancy, cross the Meuse and strike towards Paris from the east. The German centre was to smash forward between Rheims and Verdun, the whole plan thus being to encircle the entire Franco-British forces in a gigantic Sedan and end the war once.

The German right wing under von Kluck failed to envelope the British, who held the Allies' left flank in Belgium, but forced them to retire, while the German centre also ruptured the French centre, so that the whole Allied front in northern France and Belgium had to withdraw. But the German left wing which came from Alsace met an invincible resistance on the heights

of Nancy. It had captured St. Die and Lunéville and the Kaiser was so confident that Nancy would fall that he waited on a hill with his family and a gorgeous suite for the signal for a triumphal entry into the capital of Frenchorraine. That signal never came.

De Castelnau's forces, including the famous "Iron Corps," which, thanks to Italy, was released from the Franco-Italian frontier—the same corps which later retook Douaumont and stopped the German wave before Verdun—inflicted a disastrous defeat upon the enemy, although outnumbered three to one, and hurled him across the Vosges into Alsace where he was held to the end of the war. Had the Germans won that battle they would have forced their way to the south of the Marne before the French and British had reached the river.

Subsequently, de Castelnau was given the command of the entire forces between Verdun and the Swiss border, of which the American army eventually became an important part. He was Chief of Staff to Joffre during the defence of Verdun, and it was he who held with Petain that brief dialogue which forever will remain engraved upon the mind of every Frenchman. "They must not pass," de Castelnau said. "They shall not pass," Petain replied. And they did not pass.

## CHILE AND PERU.

A "certain liveliness" in the relations between Chile and Peru suggests that Mars, having finished with Armageddon, is about to stage a side-show in that sultry quarter. According to a Peruvian statement Chilean mobs have sacked the property of Peruvian citizens in Chile and the Peruvian Consul at Iquique was shanghaied on a steamer in the harbor with the connivance of the Chilean authorities. Both countries have withdrawn their consular representatives and, on the whole, the situation is unusually interesting.

The trouble is reported to have arisen over the status of the Tacna and Tarapaca districts which have been bones of contention for many years. This territory was ceded to Chile by Peru after the war between the two countries in 1879-82 on condition that after the districts had been under Chilean control for ten years a plebiscite was to be taken to decide to which they should belong. The arrangement seems to have been patterned on the case of Schleswig and, like Prussia, Chile forgot all about the plebiscite. Now that there is so much talk about "self-determination" the Peruvians apparently have begun to agitate for that long-deferred plebiscite in the hope that the two "lost provinces" will return to the parental roof.

Peru is larger than Chile and her population is 4,620,000 against her neighbor's 3,600,000. But fifty per cent. of the Peruvian population are Indians, while the great majority of Chileans are of European origin. In the war which lasted from 1879 to 1882 Peru was no match for Chile whose forces, under the command of Admiral Patricio Lynch—obviously a Spanish conquistador from his name—occupied Lima. Chile seems to have drawn generously upon the fighting stock of sunny Spain, for one O'Higgins also bulks prominently in her martial annals, giving his name to a county and a warship still in service.

Just before the armistice was signed in Europe Chile's Government seized the German ships interned in Chilean waters. It doubtless remembered that in the early stages of the war its neutrality was exposed to suspicion by the fact that von Spee's squadron used the island of Juan Fernandez as a base and operated very freely in that part of the world. Chile's fighting forces on land and sea are much more formidable than those of Peru and the margin of superiority would have been vastly increased if the two dreadnoughts completed for her in British yards in 1914 had not been taken over by the British Government.

The attack of American soldiers and sailors upon a meeting in New York at which Bolshevik sentiments were being aired suggests that a popularity contest between Bolshevism and Prussianism throughout the decent world would end in a draw. They are, of course, one and the same, only directed from the two extremes of the social scale.

The New York Times conducted a census of editorial comment in the United States newspapers on the President's approaching trip to Europe and found a considerable majority against it. Nevertheless the President is going, from which we may infer that he will not offer himself for a third term.

The city authorities have done wisely in applying the principle of promotion in selecting a successor to Chief Davis. The new head of the Department has shown himself to be a capable, faithful deputy-chief, and is deservedly popular with the men. He has the best wishes of the whole community in his important new post.

The Holland-Government's reference to the ex-rulers who sought refuge in England reminds us of an illustrious exception which more closely parallels the case of William Hohenzollern. This was the case of Napoleon Bonaparte who desired to settle down as a squire in an English county but wound up at St. Helena, and Napoleon was a knightly gentleman alongside the ex-Kaiser.

A group of political enthusiasts who have launched a General Pershing presidential boom in the United States are likely to have their ardor painfully chilled when they ask the General what he thinks about it. We are sure a certain Californian who wrote a letter to Pershing some months ago containing that very same proposal still feels uncomfortable when he recalls the nature of the reply he received.

Holland says William Hohenzollern is only a refugee, and refers to the ex-kings who have sought refuge and been protected in England. The reference no doubt is to Napoleon the Third, Louis Philippe and Manuel. Holland apparently is thinking only of an ex-ruler, forgetting that William Hohenzollern was and what he is "wanted" for. Incidentally, as it is now settled that William is not interned there is no reason why he cannot be extradited under the extradition treaty between Great Britain and Holland.

CARRY MEDICINES TO  
FORT MACPHERSON

Mushers Leave Dawson to  
Help Northerners to Fight  
Influenza

Dawson, Y. T., Nov. 25.—By direction of the Commissioner of Canadian Indian Affairs at Ottawa and the Dominion head of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, a special party will be dispatched from Dawson to-morrow on a long dog team expedition of 800 miles overland across the Rocky Mountains and several rivers to Fort Macpherson with supplies, medicines, masks and other equipment for combating the Spanish influenza among the Indians and Eskimos in that remote locality. Officials fear the disease may have spread there, with no special means for relief. Two of the fastest and most experienced Indian dog mushers are in charge of the outfit.

Immediately after Christmas, the regular Canadian Northwest Mounted Police expedition with winter mails for Fort Macpherson and Herschel will leave here. The party is awaiting the arrival of the usual letters from Ottawa and coast points for the trip. The expedition is being organized by Sergeant Dempster, the famous Arctic musher.

**Serum Needed.**  
 Dawson has no vaccine or serum to send to Macpherson or Herschel, and has received none here from the outside since the outbreak of the influenza epidemic. The disease has not appeared here, but some other districts along the Arctic coast report being decimated. The authorities in Dawson have been instructed to exercise a strict quarantine against the north as well as against travel from the south or other sources. Considerable opinion prevails here that an adequate supply of vaccine and serum should be forwarded to Dawson anyway as a precaution to fight the plague should it break out in this region just when the bitterest time of the Arctic winter is approaching.

**Victory Loan.**  
 Delayed returns from May 200 miles from Dawson, told of subscriptions to the Dawson Victory Loan running the total close to \$116,000. The total whites in the Dawson district this winter have been estimated not to exceed 2,000, which means a total subscription of almost \$100 per capita, which is one of the highest in Canada. Thus showing loyal support from the north. The Yukon also claims the highest per capita subscription to patriotic funds in Canada throughout the war, giving dollars and cents to the cause, and it also claims the highest percentage of soldiers per capita, having sent 600, of whom nearly 500 volunteered.

STOPPING MAKING SHOES  
FOR AMERICAN ARMY

Brockton, Mass., Nov. 24.—Shoe manufacturers engaged on army contracts were ordered yesterday by War Department not to cut any more leather for army shoes after the completion of those in process of manufacture. Manufacturers could not say whether the order meant that contracts for shoes were to be cancelled. If this is so, manufacturers declared, thousands of employees would be out of work until the factories were able to obtain large private orders.

## LETTERS

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## THE RED CROSS.

To the Editor.—Now that we can see peace on the horizon and our nation and allies have won a glorious victory, it is not time to show our thankfulness and appreciation of our men who have so nobly carried the honor of Canada on the battlefields of Europe by giving our offering to the Red Cross, which has through the stress of the last four years been near them at all times with help when required?

The Victoria Branch of the Red Cross has had its share in the victory, and it asks that the public who have been so generous in the past should continue its support until the present immediate indebtedness of about \$15,000 is paid. This amount is required to enable the next thirty days and was incurred for material ordered in some cases six months ago.

While the actual fighting is over, there is still a great deal to be done for the sick and wounded and the people of Northern France, Belgium, Serbia and other countries of our Allies who are absolutely destitute. This work falls on the Red Cross and workers to "carry on" the good work they have done so well until these people are in a position to help themselves.

The executive feels sure that they have only to let it be known the financial situation of this branch when sufficient money will be forthcoming to pay its debts without asking an extension of time from the donors.

**CHAS. WILLIAMS,**  
 Canadian Red Cross Society.  
 Hon. Secretary-Treasurer,  
 Victoria, B.C., Nov. 23, 1918.

decent organization, to meet the requirements of the general public, in a community from which it is earning a part of its large income.

It is time the C. P. R. realized that they have got to cease the idea of monopoly, and endeavor to cater to the public, so far as encouraging settlement in the Gulf Islands, by giving a better and quicker service. There is nothing in the wide world to prevent the people of the Gulf Islands getting together and demanding from the C. P. R., a boat, such as the Chatter, to make daily trips between Victoria and Vancouver, calling at some central point, such as Port Washington or Ganges Harbor for the purpose of embarking and disembarking passengers and freight, to and from around the Gulf Islands.

I trust that some of the other residents of the Islands, of longer duration, will enter into the spirit of this communication, and bring to bear upon the Canadian Pacific Railway Company the necessity of their endeavoring to be a little more considerate, and realize that in these days the monopoly they have been able to enjoy in the past must cease.

I personally will (if no attempt is made by the C. P. R. to meet the requirements of the public) endeavor to form a syndicate, which will buy a steamer to carry on the transportation facilities so much desired and required for service throughout the Gulf Islands.

The "milk and water policy" of people of the past, must now cease, and with the predicted influx to this part of Canada, which I think is fully assured, we must be up and doing, and endeavor to have Mohammed come to the mountain, rather than the mountain go to Mohammed.

**E. B. CRADDOCK,**  
 "Waterloo," Port Washington, North  
 Pender Island, B. C., Nov. 23, 1918.

## VETERANS AS LUMBERMEN.

To the Editor.—In reference to the Returned Soldiers' Co-operative Lumber Company as outlined in your issue of the 21st inst., the suggestion is made that men who offered themselves for enlistment prior to the passing of the M. S. A. are permitted to work for the organization, provided they are willing to sign an agreement not to go on strike. Roughly speaking there are 45,000 men overseas who are skilled in lumbering, such as engineers, trackmen, sawyers, electricians, etc.

Theoretically there could be no strike under a co-operative system; yet a score of men, say in the engineering class, if permitted to affiliate with a labor union could willingly or unwittingly tie up the whole concern indefinitely through being ordered from their work in sympathy with workers in a distant city, or even to enforce the official conviction of a union official convicted of wholesale murder which is actually happening to-day.

There is a great future for the Soldiers' Co-operative Lumber Company; but only if "walking delegates," "business agents" and "uplifters" are kept outside.

**MOWBRAY.**

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regard to fisheries which should be opened up for the Canadian people, and especially for the returned soldiers.

The opening up of these fisheries would give the returned men (co-operatively) a chance to own and operate their cannery or canneries, and would be able to catch the salmon easier and cheaper than the average British Columbia cannery does at present.

Six years ago I drew the attention of the Department of Marine and Fisheries to this matter, and again the fall in my correspondence mentioned it.

There are two navigable rivers in the northern part of this Province which reach the North Pacific through the narrow strip of Southeastern Alaska. They are the Stikine and Taku Rivers. Both of these rivers are teeming with salmon of the best varieties, and millions of fish are spawned on and in the tributaries of these rivers every year, and the United States fisheries on the coast of Alaska are reaping the benefit. Only about twenty-two miles of the Stikine River is in Alaskan territory (and about the same number of miles of the Taku River). The American fishermen have, as long as the canneries have been in existence, fished on these rivers up to the international boundary line, and sometimes many miles inside Canadian territory, using gill nets, and sometimes fish wheels. But, according to the B. C. fishery regulations, which I have closely perused, no one has a right to fish in non-tidal waters in British Columbia for commercial purposes.

The Act and the amendments do not mention Taku or the Stikine Rivers; therefore it is evident that Parliament did not contemplate these waters when passing the laws. New legislation or amendments to the present Act would be required to throw open these rivers for Canadian fisheries for the benefit of returned soldiers. It does not mean the whole of these rivers, but only, say, twelve to fifteen miles from the boundary up, and permit the use of same kind of "gear" as the American fishermen are using.

Based on many years' experience on the Stikine River, I venture to say that if proper fishing gear was used the canneries would not need go short of fish during the season.

Some may say that it would be injurious to the American fisheries, and would deplete the fish in no time. At the first glance it might look so, but if the United States Government would have a few thousand of the hair-seals, which at the mouths of these rivers destroy thousands of salmon every day of the season, killed off, and after the Canadian industry got well established they could afford to artificially assist the propagation of a few million fish every year. These two aids would keep both the Canadian and American fisheries going for a long time. Many arguments could be advanced in favor of the above, which just now would be taking too much of your valuable space. The main point is to have these northern treasures opened up for the returned men.

**C. A. TERVO.**  
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## A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and the Turkey

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(By Howard R. Garis.)

Two days before Thanksgiving, Uncle Wiggly Longears, the bunny rabbit gentleman, was sitting in his hollow stump bungalow, thinking of cranberry sauce, roast chestnuts, mince pie and the like of that, when, all of a sudden, there came a rat-a-tat-tat on the door. "I think," said Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the mustered lady housekeeper, "that some one is knocking."

"Not to put too fine a point upon it, my dear, as Mr. Snagbees would say, I think you're right," said Uncle Wiggly. "I'll see who it is."

He opened the door, and in rushed a great big turkey gobble.

"Why, bless my pink nose!" cried Uncle Wiggly, very much surprised. "I hardly expected to see you!"

"I hardly expected to get here myself," said Mr. T. Turkey Gobble, to give him his full name. "But when I remembered how kind you were to me in the matter of the feather duster (which story I told you children a week ago Monday), when I remembered how kind you were to me," said Mr. Gobble, "I thought I'd come here and hide."

"Come and hide!" exclaimed Nurse Jane. "Bless and save us, but are you playing hide-and-go-seek?"

"Sort of," said Mr. Gobble, as he crouched down behind the stove, where it was nice and warm, for turkeys don't like to be cold. "You see, the farmer is seeking me and I am hiding from him. It's that sort of game."

"Oh, I see," said Uncle Wiggly. "And I hope the farmer doesn't see—at least see me," spoke the turkey. "It's altogether too close to Thanksgiving to suit me. May I hide here until the storm blows over?"

"Why, yes," said Uncle Wiggly. "Stay here and welcome. We're very glad to see you."

"I hope you're not so glad to see me you could eat me, as I've heard some folks say," spoke the turkey, as he wobbled the red thing hanging down over his nose. "Still, I guess, I am safe with you. What are you going to have roasted for Thanksgiving?" he asked, suspicious-like.

"Roast mince pie!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly. "Yum! Yum!"

"Oh, that's all right, then," said the Mr. T. Turkey Gobble. "I've come to the right place. I'll stay here until after New Year, I guess. The farmer was chasing me, and I ran to your door, knocked with my beak, and you took me in."

"You are very welcome here," said Uncle Wiggly. Then he went on reading the paper. Nurse Jane washed the dishes, and the turkey fell asleep behind the stove.

New, all this while something else was going on. Outside the hollow stump bungalow was hidden the bad old Pipseswah again and with him was the Blue nosed Baboon.

"Did you just see what happened at Uncle Wiggly's place?" asked the Pipseswah.

"No; what?" asked the Baboon.

"Why, Mr. Gobble ran up, knocked on the door with his beak, and they let him right in. Now, why can't we do that?" asked the Pipseswah.

"Maybe we can," said the Baboon. "Then let's do it," said the Pipseswah. "And once they open the door,

as much as we like."

"That will be just fine!" chattered the Blue Nosed Baboon. "Let's do it."

So, while Uncle Wiggly and Nurse Jane and the gobble were at peace and quietness in the hollow stump bungalow, thinking of no harm, up sneaked the bad old Pipseswah and the worse Blue Nosed Baboon.

"Rat-a-tat-tat!" they knocked on the door of the bungalow.

"Bless my apple dumpling!" cried Uncle Wiggly. "Maybe that's another turkey, Nurse Jane."

But when Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy opened the door, the Baboon and the Pipseswah started to rush in, and they cried: "Now we'll get some souse!"

"Oh, will you? Well, I guess not!" gobbled the turkey. "Get out of Uncle Wiggly's house! Scat! Gobble, gobble-gobble!"

Then he pecked at the Baboon and the Pipseswah with his sharp beak, tickling them so hard under their short ribs that the two unpleasant creatures ran out, crying: "We don't want any souse to-day!"

So you see this teaches us to be kind to turkeys, and if the organ grinder doesn't twist the handle off the piano when he's playing tag with the monkey, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggly's Thanksgiving.

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## RED CROSS COMEDY TO-NIGHT AT PRINCESS

"All-of-a-Sudden Peggy" Now Ready; Mrs. Green's Orchestra

To-night at 8.30 at the Princess Theatre the curtain will rise on the first act of "All-of-a-Sudden-Peggy," the delightful comedy which attained an almost unparalleled success in England when presented by Miss Marie Tempest and Gerald du Maurier.

Although the curtain is not due to rise until 8.30, it is anticipated that most of the ticket-holders will be in their seats some ten minutes before that time in order to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing the entr'acte played by Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green's orchestra—an aggregate of musicians who have contributed in no small measure to the successes of the Red Cross Company.

The final dress rehearsal was held last night, and went with a swing which bodes well for the success and popularity of the production which is to run for one week only.

## Social Personal

Miss Olive Brethorne has come over from Vancouver for a short visit to her parents in this city.

Donald Macaulay, of the Siberian Forces, stationed at the Willow Camp, has gone over to the Mainland to spend some days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Macaulay, Shaughnessy Heights.

From the Vancouver Daily Province: "Walter Carson and Miss Sara Gertrude Wragg, of Vancouver, were married on Monday, November 18, by Rev. H. A. McNeil at his residence, Kitsilano. They will reside in Victoria."

Rev. Joseph Johnstone, who supplied the pulpit of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church during the pastor's absence last summer, will preach the preparatory sermon on Wednesday evening in the church at 8 p. m.

Local friends of Lieut.-Col. G. S. Pragnell, D. S. O., of the B. C. Regiment, and Mrs. Pragnell, formerly of Kamloops, will be interested in the announcement in the recent issue of Canada of the birth of a daughter to them at Stoneycroft, Hindhead, Surrey, on October 17.

Mrs. Alfred Watt, M. A., M. B. E., formerly of Victoria, has been in charge of the exhibition held at the Caxton Hall, Westminster, under the auspices of the National Federation of Women's Institutes—a movement of which she was the founder in England.

Rev. A. E. and Mrs. Roberts, of Vancouver, accompanied by their son, Cecil, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to Mrs. Roberts's home. Mrs. Roberts and her son are recuperating from illness and will remain here for several weeks, but Mr. Roberts expects to return to the Mainland before the end of the week.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the 6th Regiment, C. G. A., have been planning for some weeks past for the holding of a big Christmas bazaar at the new Armoury, Bay Street, on Wednesday and Thursday next, December 4 and 5. The lifting of the ban has permitted the consummation of their efforts, and every effort is being made to conduct to the comfort and pleasure of dancers. The proceeds will be used to continue the Chapter's work of supplying comforts for the men in the local military convalescent hospitals.

An interesting description of the activities at the Beaver Hut, under the Y. M. C. A. organization in London is included in the recent issue of Canada. The following women act as captains of shifts among the voluntary workers at the Hut: Mrs. Walter Rogers, formerly of Victoria; Miss Marjory Palmer, Mrs. Donald Macmaster, Lady Sybil Grey, Mrs. Wolfe, Miss Roope, Lady Evelyn Farquhar, Mrs. George Barclay, Lady Kennard, Miss Bowle, Lady Beaverbrook, Mrs. Gillman, Miss Aldred, Mrs. Hume Blake (Toronto), Mrs. Willie Dobell (Quebec), Miss Caulfield, Miss Springbett, Miss Lovridge, Mrs. Crosskey and Miss Cunningham.

## The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 26.—5 a. m.—An ocean storm is crossing Northern B. C. accompanied by easterly to southerly gales, which may extend to the Straits and Sound. Milder weather is reported in the prairie provinces.

Temperature.

Tatoush	46
Portland, Ore.	44
Seattle	44
Penticton	38
Grand Forks	28
Nelson	28
Kaslo	30
Calgary	44
Edmonton	30
Qu'Appelle	30

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 40; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .01; weather, raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 28; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .10; weather, raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 28; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .10; weather, raining.

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## LOCAL COUNCIL PLAN ACTIVITY IN SOCIAL RECONSTRUCTION

Women Discuss Legislation, and Schemes Pertaining to Young People's Welfare

A foreshadowing of the big part which will be played by the Local Council of Women in the matter of social reconstruction following the war was given at the meeting held in the Cathedral schoolroom yesterday afternoon, when the Council met after a lapse of two months. Following a splendid report of the work of women patrols in Seattle, and of the great service to the community imparted by the Rosemary Club for Business Girls and the Theodora Home for Mothers in the Sound City, given by Mrs. Williscroft, convener of the Equal Moral Standards Committee, who with Miss Astor and Miss Wain, visited that city recently, a discussion arose as to the feasibility of inaugurating some such scheme in Victoria.

Home For Wayward Girls.

Miss Wark, Social Service Worker, testified to the need of a home where girls whose environment and injudicious companionship had created a tendency towards delinquency, might be sent with a view to the prevention of crime.

Mrs. Williscroft and Miss Astor, supported by other speakers, referred to the work of the Rosemary Club in Seattle, which provided a real home life and uplifting influences to young girls who had revealed a tendency to wrong-doing through no fault of their own. The refining influence of proper surroundings, loving care and all the comforts of home with none of the irksome limitations of an "institution" had proved the turning point in the life of many young girls. Miss Wark pointed out the lack of local facilities for dealing with such cases, the existing machinery here providing only for the care of girls who had already reached the delinquent stage, when they were committed to the Industrial Home at Vancouver.

The outcome of the discussion was that Mrs. Williscroft, Miss Crease and Mrs. Scofield, of the Equal Moral Standards Committee, and Dr. Helen Ryan and Mrs. Atkinson, of London, who has had much experience with the workings of the Borstal Prison system in England, were appointed a special committee to confer with the Social Service Board of Control as to the feasibility of the establishing of a Rosemary Club in Victoria, together with the cost of starting and maintenance of such a home, their findings to be reported to the Local Council.

Seek Mothers' Pensions.

The necessity for the creation of a Mothers' Pensions Act for British Columbia for the assistance of widows and wives of men confined to insane asylums, struggling to support families was among the suggestions emanating from the Laws Committee, of which Mrs. C. Spofford is convener. After some discussion, in which Mrs. Spofford gave a synopsis of the law now in force in the state of Pennsylvania, the meeting passed a resolution that the matter be referred to the provincial executive of the Council with a view to its being brought to the notice of the Legislature at the next session.

A suggested amendment to the Criminal Code of Canada, embodying the raising of the age of consent from sixteen to eighteen years and seeking the elimination of the clause which states that "the girl must be of previous chaste character," was also supported by the Council and is to be referred to the Provincial Executive for presentation to the Senate, which last year threw out the amendment passed by the House of Commons.

Girls' Welfare.

The committee also sought the altering of a clause in the Infant Act, present providing for the apprehension of "those wandering about at late hours without being on any lawful business or occupation, or without settled place of abode or proper guardianship or visible means of sustenance." It was declared that the amendment of the clause to read "without home," instead of "with no settled abode" would remove the present handicap which it is impossible to prove the situation.

According to social service workers young girls coming here from other cities may obtain rooms in undesirable rooming-houses and thus escape the workings of the Act as at present constituted. The recommendation of the committee was supported by the Council and will be referred to the Provincial Executive of the Council of Women.

Miss Helen Stewart spoke of the arrangements being made to hold a public meeting to discuss the Minimum Wage Bill on Thursday evening, at a place to be announced later. The scope of the proposed Library Bill providing for the extension of library facilities was explained by Miss Stewart, and in response to her request that the Council appoint a delegate to attend the annual meeting of the B. C. Library Association in December, Mrs. Graves was asked to undertake that office.

Among the correspondence dealt with was the appeal of the New Westminister Council for support in their endeavors to obtain the raising of an official of the penitentiary. On Mrs. Spofford's motion, application will be made by the Laws Committee for further particulars of the case, asking as to the basis of the claim, and their report will be brought before the Local Council Provincial Executive for consideration.

Hospitality House for Soldiers.

Miss Crease reported on the steps that had been taken with a view to providing hospitality for the Siberian troops now quartered in the city, having special regard for the convalescents. Feeling that the scheme should be broadened to admit of the convalescing of a "Hospitality House" for the soldiers generally, Miss Crease referred the matter to the Provincial

## ENGAGED IN WAR WORK

MRS. JOHN HOPE

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dunsmaur, of Hatley Park, Victoria, is a member of the advisory committee of the "Beaver" Y. M. C. A. hut in London, England. With her on the committee are Lady Perley, the Marchioness of Donagel and Mrs. Alfred Cole. A description of the hut, together with a portrait of Mrs. Hope, are included in a recent issue of "Canada."

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## MEMBERSHIP GROWING OF COMRADES' SOCIETY

Discuss New Quarters at Y. W. C. A.; Officers Are Elected

A membership of over 400 paid up members, and an increase in the enrolment every week was reported by Secretary J. Bloom at a meeting of the Comrades of the War, held last night. J. J. Taylor presided over an attendance of sixty members. J. J. Taylor, President, and J. Bloom, Secretary, had previously been elected with acclamation, and the election for the other officers resulted in Fred Abrams being chosen Vice-President, Jack Mee, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Comrades Little, Galloway, Mason, Turner and Palmer, Executive Committee. Comrades Taylor and Palmer were appointed as the investigating committee. Comrades Turner and Pierce the members of the sick committee, and Comrades J. J. Bloom, A. Anderson and F. Abrams as the finance committee.

**Land in Okanagan.**  
The question of land for the returned men was debated, and R. Murray called attention to the fact that there was some land in the Okanagan which could be well considered by the Government in their deliberations on placing the returned men on the land. Land which is now being used for grazing, he claimed, could be irrigated and made into first class land for fruit or mixed farming, and if this were done and thrown open to the returned men under the Government's scheme he believed they would be eager to take advantage of it. As there was a lot of business before the meeting it was decided to postpone the discussion, but make it the subject of a future meeting at which Major Clark, Superintendent of the B. C. Soldiers' Settlement Commission, will be asked to attend.

**The New Club Room.**  
Secretary Bloom reported that there was every indication that the venture in taking over the Y. W. C. A. premises as a club room would be a success. They had met with a general response to their request for furniture, but he was unable to make a complete report as the President of the Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. S. V. Simpson, who has been working hard in the matter, is at present in Seattle. They had, however, received many offers to furnish rooms in the building, and he believed they would have an excellent club room which would be a big advantage to the members and especially to those who had no homes in the city. A vote of confidence in the secretary for the work he had done in the matter and also in Mrs. Simpson, was passed by the members.

**Thanksgiving Service.**  
It was decided that the Comrades should be represented as a body in the Thanksgiving Service on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in front of the Parliament Buildings, the members to meet a quarter of an hour before the service at the Comrades' Hall.  
The President, Vice-President and Comrade Palmer were selected to represent the Comrades of the Great War on any conferences which may be held between the Trades and Labor Council and the returned men with regard to the re-establishment of the soldiers in industrial life.  
A letter of sympathy was sent to Comrade Rolston, who became a victim of Spanish influenza while doing duty in Toronto.

**Few Police Cases.**—Neither yesterday nor to-day have the officials of the Police Court been required to perform their court duties. A sitting of the Court was held this morning, but the only case to be considered was remanded.

## Why Blame the Good for the Bad?

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## TENDERS ARE OPENED FOR CEMETERY SITES

Seven Offers Are Received by Inter-Municipal Committee

Seven tenders were received by the Inter-Municipal Committee in response to advertisements for sites to be used as a joint cemetery by the municipalities of Victoria, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt, the tenders being opened at the City Hall this morning.  
The offers include the following: From C. T. Cross, sixty acres on Pinery Road; Col. A. W. Jones, twenty acres on Richmond Road; the Ormond property, containing seventy-three acres on Gordon Head Road; from Arthur Lineham, seventy-five acres on Shelbourne Street; J. W. Rowland, seventy-five acres on Carey Road; and a one hundred-acre location at Colwood Station.

According to the decision reached at the last meeting of the Inter-Municipal Committee, a by-law will be prepared whereby the site to be finally chosen will be left to the choice of the people at the time of the municipal election in January.  
Before that time, however, a thorough inspection of the various properties offered will be made by all parties interested, and every possible means of knowing the particulars of the locations to be submitted, and from which the choice is invited.

## NEW FIRE CHIEF IS EXPERIENCED OFFICER

Vernon W. Stewart Appointed Head of Local Department

Following his appointment by the City Council last night, when Deputy Chief Vernon W. Stewart takes over the command of the Victoria Fire Department he will enter the position backed with years of experience as the Deputy Chief, and as a fire fighter who knows every branch of the business. Ever since a mere boy the new Chief has been used to handling men, and his popularity with the present force, and his thorough acquaintance with all the details of the system established by Chief Davis will assure Victoria the same efficient fire protection that she has been enjoying during the past few years.

Chief Stewart was born in Nanaimo in 1871 and was a little over sixteen years of age when he was boss of a gang in one of the big mines in that city. In 1893 he joined the Nanaimo Fire Department, and was a member of the city's famous hose team, which he captained for two years.

Coming to Victoria, Mr. Stewart worked at his trade as a machinist, and on June 1, 1906, he joined the Fire Department. Two years later he was appointed to the position of captain, and just three years after joining the force he was made Deputy Chief. This position he has filled ever since that time.

**Fire Prevention.**  
In the absence of the Fire Chief, Deputy Chief Stewart handled many fires with the utmost success. In his own words, having been his hobby ever since he could walk. "The work of firemen," said the future Chief this morning, "at present centres around fire prevention. Prevention is better than cure any day. It is only as a result of the work of the Department in inspecting all the buildings in the city, that there have been so few fires in the downtown district in the last few years." It will be the new Chief's ambition to maintain the fire prevention activities of the Force at the utmost attention to the details of the fire fighting section of the Department.

The appointment of Deputy Chief Stewart to the position of Chief was made by the Council without delay or discussion. He will formally take his post as successor to Chief Thomas Davis on December 1, with a salary of \$230 a month, a similar sum as that paid to his predecessor. The only other candidate for the position of Chief was Fire Chief Guthrie, of Nelson.

The appointment was made on the recommendation of the Fire Wardens Committee.  
The Deputy Chief will be named later, the only applicant so far being P. W. Ziegler, Captain of No. 1 Fire Hall. The Council takes the stand that no appointment should be made until the recommendation of the new Chief can be obtained.

**Snow in Victoria District.**—Victoria experienced the first touch of winter this morning when the coming of daylight revealed a covering of snow on the summits of the Sooke Hills and at Salt Spring Island. Vancouver also experienced a heavy snowfall in the night, but with the general lowering of the temperature this morning, Superintendent Denison reports that further snowfall is unlikely at the present time. The lowest temperature recorded in Victoria this morning was 48, and in Vancouver 33 degrees.

**Island Motorist.**—The November issue of the Island Motorist is on the street, and contains some exceedingly attractive illustrations that should prove of interest to those seeking out beauty spots for the prospective tourist of the coming season. Oscar Bass has an article on the tourist possibilities of the Island.

## RETURNED SOLDIER TO BE ASSISTANT TO COMMISSIONER

Legislature Will Be Asked to Provide for Permanent Position

SALARY TO BE ABOUT  
TWO THOUSAND A YEAR

It is the intention of the Provincial Government to appoint an assistant to the Civil Service Commissioner, to pay him about \$2,000 per annum, and to recommend to the Legislature that provision be made for a permanent appointment. The official in question will be a returned soldier, and until permission is given by the Legislature the post will be a temporary one. The above information is conveyed in a letter to Lieut. G. P. Heineke, Secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association, from the Hon. J. W. de la Farris, Acting Premier and Attorney-General. The letter in full reads as follows:

**Acting Premier's Letter.**  
"I beg to advise you that the Government has decided that there should be an assistant to the Civil Service Commissioner. We propose to appoint a temporary assistant for the present and to recommend to the Legislature that provision be made for a permanent appointment."  
"It is our intention to appoint a returned man to this position and I would request that applications be forwarded at once, either through the various organizations or by returned men individually, for the position."  
"I may state that the salary will be about \$2,000 a year."

**Kindly facilitate in making this information general among returned men who might wish to apply.**

**Discussion To-night.**  
At the regular meeting of the Victoria branch of the Great War Veterans' Association to be held to-night the subject matter of the foregoing letter will constitute the chief discussion of the evening. The origin of the circumstances which have some relation to the Government's now announced decision respecting an assistant Civil Service Commissioner, date from the day following the public announcement of the relinquishment of the office by Mr. Mount and the appointment of W. H. McInnes to succeed him.

**Constitutional Aspect.**  
Mr. Farris replied, and pointed out the constitutional aspect of the situation, and expressed the Government's view that the appointment had been made in the public interest, claiming, however, that the spirit and intent of the Civil Service Act had not been violated by the manner in which the appointment was made.

Further discussions took place between the service men and the members of the Cabinet, and a number of questions dealt with in amicable fashion. To-day's announcement reached the Great War Veterans' Secretary this morning.  
**Other Matters.**  
Other matters to be discussed at to-night's meeting will include the conference between the Association's executive and the members of the Women's Auxiliary which took place on Friday evening last, and the new constitution. President Ault will also take the opportunity to explain to the members a considerable amount of routine business accomplished during the period covered by the Spanish "flu" ban.

## LEPER ARRESTED

Chinaman Believed Suffering From Disease Taken in Charge

A Chinaman, named Chow Gung, supposed to be affected with leprosy, was taken in charge by the health authorities last night. He was arrested by Police Sergeant Fry and Constable McLennan, and was returned to the Hospital for Sanitary Inspector Lancaster. He will be examined by City Health Officer Dr. Price, during the course of the day, and if it is found that the man is really suffering from the dread disease he will be removed to the D'Arcy Island Lazaretto.

Chow Gung was found in a house on Piguard Street last night, following investigations by the Police and Health authorities. His condition was not such as to lead to the conclusion that the disease has reached a very distressing state. Medical examination, however, will determine his condition.

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50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

It is understood that there is another man in Chinatown—similarly afflicted, for whom the Health Department is searching.

## DENIES RUMOR OF CHANGED SCHEDULE

Manager of B. C. Electric Railway Makes Statement Respecting Operation of Cars

In view of statements that have been made conveying a rumor that an early change in the schedule of the B. C. Electric Railway Company's car service was about to be inaugurated whereby there would be certain curtailments on five of its lines, namely, the Willows, Oak Bay, Fowl Bay, Hillside and Burnside, which change it was contemplated to put into effect next month, Local Manager A. T. Goward, authorized this morning the following statement of the intentions of the company in regard to the matter:  
"There will be no drastic cut at present in the service, but there may be a slight rearrangement during the morning hours when there is comparatively little travel and possibly after 7:30 in the evening, but that is all," said Mr. Goward.

"In other words, it is the intention of the company to exercise every consideration of the public needs, while at the same time seeking to economize in the operation of its lines. For this reason we have been figuring out the best means of accommodating any reduction in service which may be effected during the hours when there is the least traffic."  
"On the other hand," continued Mr. Goward, "it is also our intention to improve the service during the hours when there is a heavy press of business."

"I might also say that it is quite possible that not even these slight changes may be put into effect at any rate not until after Christmas, and in any event any changes that may be contemplated would first be treated in the nature of an experiment."

## PROGRAMME OF PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCED

Citizens Will Gather to Offer Thanks on December 1

The full programme for the Thanksgiving service to be held on the grounds of the Parliament Buildings on Sunday, December 1, at half-past two on the occasion of the National Thanksgiving has been announced. The service will be attended by the clergy of the city, the massed choirs and various public bodies.

The order of the service will be as follows:  
Hymn: "All People That On Earth Do dwell."  
Opening Prayer: Rev. William Stevenson.  
Responsive Reading: Rev. H. S. Osborne.  
Hymn: "Oh, God, Our Help in Ages Past."  
Scripture Lesson: Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D.  
Prayer: "To be devoted to a fund for the wives and orphans of fallen soldiers, or in the event of such a fund not being formed, to some recognized patriotic organization."  
Offering: The offering will be read by the Right Reverend Bishop Schofield.  
Benediction.  
God Save the King.

The music will be supplied by a military band, and the massed choirs, which are requested to take up their positions on the steps of the Buildings, will be conducted by Frank J. Schell. The service will be presided over by Lieutenant-Governor Sir Frank Bannard and will be attended by the Premier, members of Parliament, the Mayor and City Council, General Leckie, C.M.G., Captain Martin, R.M., the returned soldier organizations and the Trades and Labor Council. All public bodies, clergy of all denominations, as well as the general public are invited to be present.

## BAN LIFTED

Port Alberni, Langley, Nanaimo, and Creston Now Entirely Out of Danger.

There will be nothing to prevent Port Alberni from having a good old-time political gathering when the Conservatives meet in convention to-morrow, for the Spanish Influenza Regulations were fully revoked by Provincial Order-in-Council this morning.

Nanaimo will be freed from the inhibitory restriction, to-morrow, while Langley and Creston will resume their normal appearances this afternoon.

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## RELIEF ACT BRINGS IN LARGE INCOME

Aggregate of \$377,732 Has Been Obtained Under Special Legislation

According to a statement made this morning by City-Treasurer Smith, the amount of arrears of local improvement assessment paid to date is \$115,415.31, which, added to \$140,015.95 paid on account of the ten-year extension plan and \$123,301.07 general taxes paid, brings the grand total paid in under the Relief Act to \$377,732.33.  
The city is endeavoring to have legislation passed, as will be seen by the advertisements appearing in the daily newspapers, legalizing the payment of some of the arrears after the last day now set for the payment of arrears under the Act.

This is considered only fair, inasmuch as a number of the property owners are resident in the Old Country, and a great deal of delay was experienced in communicating with them. Other weighty considerations were also factors in bringing about this suggestion.  
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## DETAIL OF SIBERIAN FORCE UNDER REVIEW

Government Contradicts Report of the Expedition's Cancellation

An unofficial statement emanating from Ottawa by wire this morning contradicts the story that the Canadian-Siberian Expeditionary force had been cancelled. It does say, however, that certain arrangements in connection with the force, as well as its composition, are now being considered.  
It is taken that recent events have naturally had a considerable bearing on conditions in Russia, and that with the general cessation of hostilities matters in this particular war theatre took on a somewhat different aspect, necessitating some slight modification or change of plan, which will be announced later.

## WESTERN SCOTS OFFICER RETURNS TO VICTORIA

Capt. M. A. M. Marsden was among the returned officers to reach Victoria yesterday. He left last night from France with wounds, and acted as instructor to the 2nd Depot Battalion. Since June he has been doing duty with the United States Marine Corps as instructor in scouting, sniping and patrolling for officers.

**Soldiers Returning.**—Fifteen soldiers, invalided from England, are expected to reach Victoria to-day.

**Many Visitors.**—Miss L. Taylor, of the Victoria & Island Development Association, reports that an increase is shown in the number of visitors reaching the city for the purpose of spending the winter in the city. The register for to-day shows the names of visitors from Alberta, Saskatchewan, Ontario and also other parts of Eastern Canada as well as the United States.

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## RECORDS OF MEN

Veteran Corporal Killed Five Days Before Fighting Ceased.

Corpl. T. M. Dalgleish, who had been twice wounded, was killed in action five days before the signing of the armistice, according to information received by Mr. and Mrs. William Dalgleish, of 1255 Johnson Street, Corpl. Dalgleish went overseas from Camp Sevel in June, 1915, with the C. A. S. C., transferring to the 2nd C. M. R's.  
Two brothers are in the army, Pte. A. W. Dalgleish, with the Canadian Engineers in France, and Corpl. S. Dalgleish, with the Canadian Ordnance Corps, Vancouver.

Won Military Medal.  
Mr. and Mrs. Verner Lynn, of 1314 Pembroke Street, have received information that their son, Pte. Norman Lynn, has been awarded the Military Medal.

Pte. Lynn went overseas with the 57th Battalion and had been once wounded. He was serving with the 54th Battalion at the time he won his medal.

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## TO DISCUSS MINIMUM WAGE HERE THURSDAY

Mrs. Ralph Smith, M. P. P., to Address Public Meeting; Belmont Building

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock a public meeting called for the purpose of discussing the Minimum Wage for women as provided by provincial statute, will be held in the ground floor of the Belmont Building, entrance from Humboldt Street.

Mrs. Ralph Smith, M.P.P., the sponsor of the Bill, will be the chief speaker when she will outline the principal features underlying the workings of the Act, and explain the results accompanying the enforcement of similar enactments in the other Dominions and in the United States. Mrs. J. H. McGill, of Vancouver, a member of the Minimum Wage Board, is to take the chair.

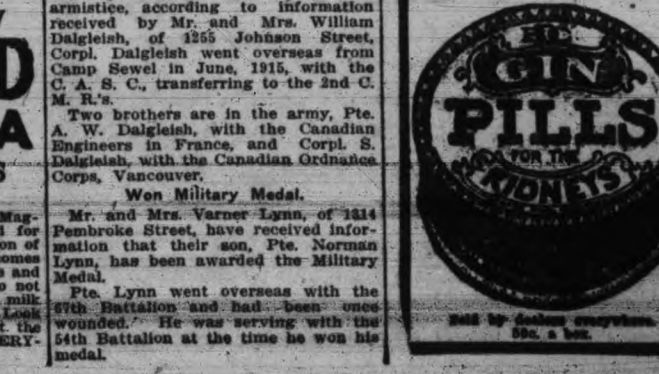
An invitation has been extended to Miss Crease, President of the Local Council of Women; Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, and Frank Gidman, M.P.P., to occupy seats on the platform.  
At the conclusion of Mrs. Smith's address, full public discussion will be called for, in which it is hoped both employers and employees of Victoria business houses will take an active part. The meeting is being called as a preliminary to the conference of the Minimum Wage Board to be held in Vancouver on December 4, at which recommendations will be made as to a wage scale. It is hoped that as many as possible of those interested and of the general public will attend Thursday's meeting.

**Influenza Cases.**—Seven fresh cases of Spanish influenza were reported to the Medical Health Officer up to noon to-day. The total for yesterday was twenty-nine. Dr. A. G. Price reports that the situation continues favorable.

**Wants Listings.**—Miss L. Taylor, of the Victoria & Island Development Association, states that more listings of furnished apartments are needed to meet the demand of incoming visitors from the prairies and elsewhere. Apartments of two and three rooms are preferred.

## BACK-ACHE!

You will NEVER get rid of that pain in the back until your kidneys are performing their proper function.





## RIOT OF COMEDY AT PANTAGES SHOW

Mirth Purveyors Predominate  
in a Particularly High Class  
Vaudeville Bill

There is comedy in abundance at the full week Pantages vaudeville show which opened yesterday before crowded and appreciative houses. A real riot of mirth is presented in the headline act entitled "The Owl," a musical comedy offering in which is featured that well-known laugh purveyor, Phil E. Adams. The fact that Marty Brooks is the producer stamps the act as one of the best. The association of Phil E. Adams with the cast, presages a very successful run. The chorus is of a high order, the members of which are gracefully nimble on their feet, and are capable of infusing "pep" into their dance numbers. The songs are of the catchy variety and take well. A great

## MANAGER OF PANTAGES



**ROBERT J. JAMIESON**  
who has been appointed by Alexander Pantages as manager of the local theatre, to succeed the late Frank Steinfield. Coincident with his taking over the management comes the announcement that in future a full weekly bill of vaudeville will be presented at the local theatre in place of the four-day programme which has been in vogue for some time.

deal of wholesome fun can be extracted from this laughable satire. A ventriloquist act that is somewhat different from the ordinary run is presented by Tom Edwards. His skill in this particular line of entertainment is manifest and his interchange of wit with the effigy of a newsboy should suffice to keep anybody in a happy frame of mind.

Miss Alice Melville, his associate in this act, is a strong added attraction, her vocal solos inspiring bursts of appreciative applause. The two performers are well-known on the English variety stage.

The Youngers appear in delightfully artistic poses, while the younger Younger makes a tremendous hit in a certain number as a Highland songster.

A snappy line of patter is offered by Manning, Peeney and Knoll, and the singing of the trio is a real treat.

The songs rendered are all of the high class order and the voices of the artists harmonize to perfection.

Roe Reeves and the Gaynor girls fully hold their own with the rest of the numbers on the bill in an artistic dancing and singing specialty.

## ROYAL VICTORIA TO-DAY HE'S IN A HAREM NOW

**Douglas Fairbanks**  
See Him in  
"BOUND IN MOROCCO"  
COMEDY, "CLEOPATRA"  
TOPICAL BUDGET SERVICE

## VARIETY TO-DAY Mildred Harris

In "The Doctor and the Woman,"  
Official Allied War Review—Comedy.

## ROMANO TO-DAY MRS. VERNON CASTLE

In "The Girl From Bohemia"  
COMEDY, "THE BLIND PIG"

## DOMINION TO-DAY The Romance of Tarzan

Keystone Comedy, "TEDDY  
AT THE THROTTLE"

## COLUMBIA TO-DAY May Allison

In "Social Hypocrites"  
Fourth Chapter "VENGEANCE  
AND THE WOMAN" WEEKLY

## PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE The Owl With a Nest of Songbirds

Tom Edwards and Miss Alice Melville.  
And Four Other Big Acts.  
Shows—Matinee, 3; Evening, 7 and 9.



## TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Princess—Red Cross Stock Company presents "All of a Sudden Peggy."  
Royal Victoria—Douglas Fairbanks in "Bound in Morocco."  
Dominion—Elmo Lincoln and Enid Markley in "Romance of Tarzan."  
Pantages—Vaudeville.  
Variety—Mildred Harris in "The Doctor and the Woman."  
Columbia—May Allison in "Social Hypocrites."  
Romano—Mrs. Irene Castle in "The Girl From Bohemia."

## ROYAL VICTORIA

The scenes of "Bound in Morocco," which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria again to-night, are as little indicative, located in Africa. The picturesque country of Algeria is the locale. A boy who hails from America, is motoring through the desert toward El Farib, the governor of which is a cruel despot and who seeks to thrust into his harem a beautiful girl, in liquidation of a debt her dead father owed him and which she is unable to pay. The boy has a thrilling fight with bandits en route to the city and he succeeds in escaping their clutches. On his arrival at El Farib he resolves to rescue the girl and this involves him in serious trouble, filled with perils and the menace of death. He manages after prodigious effort to get the girl out of the governor's harem and when he drives away with her,

## FISHING SEASON ENDS ON THE WEST COAST

Successful Results, Marred by  
Renfrew Wreck, and In-  
fluenza Epidemic

Port Renfrew, Nov. 25.—The season for salmon fishing closed on November 10 and has proved one of the most successful seasons that the Coast has experienced. A storm during the last week scattered the salmon and a freshet which followed enabled the fish to get up the river, which up to that time had been too shallow. The fishing season has proved that the true home of the salmon, to be taken at its best, is in the open sea, where the fish remain in good condition and superior to anything that can be taken in the rivers. The fish caught on the West Coast will help to make up for the losses on the Fraser River.

The recent loss of the gasoline schooner Renfrew, with thirteen lives out of twenty men on board, has cast a gloom over the district. Most of those drowned were engaged in the fishing industry and had just completed their season's work. This is the second valuable schooner, and it is valued at \$25,000, that has been wrecked at the same place.

Port Renfrew has over fifty power boats working from that place this season, some of them belonging to shanties on the other side. There is only one Customs House officer, who most of the season has also been telegraph officer and telegraph linesman, combining all in one small office. The West Coast is so far away from headquarters at Ottawa that it usually remains in a state of neglect till some catastrophe happens and then there is a little stir at headquarters and things go on as usual.

It was The Times newspaper which under Hon. Wm. Templeman, first took notice and made some effort to improve matters after several disastrous wrecks. But since then things have gone ahead and more is needed if life and travelling on this coast is to be safeguarded.

In spite of our healthy air, the "flu" has laid up quite a number of people at Port Renfrew and Clo-oose, and there have been some deaths. The West Coast is the healthiest district in the world, but very liable to disease introduced by strangers and there is no means of combating it.

The snow has already fallen on the hills near the coast, which is the sign of an early and severe winter. The fur-bearing animals are numerous, especially bears, on the Coast this year. The shooting season appears to have been about the average in grouse, but the ducks have not yet come in in any numbers. The Indian summer lasted longer than usual, but recent storms and now heavy rains show the good season has come to an end.

followed by the police and townspeople, he encounters the bandits who are eager to avenge their fallen comrades. The boy employs a novel ruse by which he pits the bandits against his followers in a fierce battle during the progress of which he and the girl make their escape. There are many thrilling situations in the photoplay, abundant comedy and a plethora of Fairbanksian stunts which make this offering one long to be remembered.

On the same programme is also shown a Pathe comedy, a Topical Budget, and a scenic.

## DOMINION

Cleo Madison, star of several notable Bluebird and Universal successes, and recently featured in big time vaudeville, fills the important role in "The Romance of Tarzan," which is its local premiere at the Dominion Theatre last night.

Miss Madison makes the part of a modern Delilah in the picture, which is a cinema version of the classic story of "Tarzan of the Apes," by Edgar Rice Burroughs. Wearing a number of the most striking pictorial costumes that the best tricksters in the country have been able to supply her with, Miss Madison makes her characterizations of La Belle Odine stand out in a way that dazzles the eyes and haunts the memory.

## ROMANO

Irene Castle, beautiful screen star, never took a dancing lesson in her life, yet in five years of professional stage and ballroom dancing she earned \$50,000. Then she went to the theatre. The last picture she made, finishing it a few days before the tragic death of Capt. Castle on the aviation field in Texas, was "The Girl from Bohemia," a Pathe play. "The Girl from Bohemia" opened a three days' engagement at the Romano yesterday.

## VARIETY

Always seeking for screen material, Lois Weber is said to have had her attention called to the story of "K," which appeared in serial form in McClure's Magazine, with the result that its film adaptation under the title of "The Doctor and the Woman," this week's attraction at the Variety, is even more fascinating than the original story form. As Sidney Page, the girl who figures so importantly in the redemption of the doctor, who attempts to hide himself from all his friends as the result of disgrace, Miss Harris has an exceptional opportunity to show her histrionic ability. Boardman appears as "K. LeMoine," the doctor, and his versatility in portraying this character is sure to win him great popularity.

## COLUMBIA

May Allison becomes a star in her own right in "Social Hypocrites," a Metro All-Star Series picture, adapted from Aliecia Ramsay's stage play, "Bridges," which is the attraction at the Columbia again to-day. Heretofore Miss Allison has been seen in Metro pictures as co-star with Harold Lockwood, and her promotion to individual stardom is in recognition of her excellent work and popularity. She was born on a plantation in Georgia and educated at schools in Cleveland and Philadelphia.

## MANY FOOTBALLERS IN CASUALTY LISTS

Names of Sportsman Killed in  
Action in Closing  
Stages

London, Nov. 25.—Although the war is over, names of athletes who laid down their lives in the closing drives continue to come in.

Tim Coleman, the Nottingham Forest and Fulham player, has been awarded the Military Medal. Some time ago he was reported among the killed.

Roland Thorndyke, who formerly captained West Ham United reserves, has died from wounds received in action. Last year he won the military medal for gallantry in the field.

W. Young, Millwall fullback, who was discharged from the army some two years ago, died of pneumonia, following influenza. He was chosen to play for Millwall against Chelsea as late as last Saturday.

Mr. King, the secretary-manager of the West Ham United Club, has received a postcard from Sgt. R. Macdougall, stating that he is not dead, as was reported some months ago. He will be remembered as one of the club's prominent forwards.

Lieut. F. W. White, R. G. A., the Northampton rugby player, is reported to have died in an hospital in France. News has been received at Cape Town of the death from wounds in Palestine of the well-known South African cricketer, Gordon White.

**BASKETBALL TO-MORROW  
FOR THE KENNEDY CUP**  
Another attempt to get started in the basketball competition will be made to-morrow, a game between the Foundation Company and the Imperial Munition Board at the Y. M. C. A. This will be the first game in the league since the Charles Kennedy Challenge Cup was donated by Billy Kennedy in memory of his brother who fell in action, and interest in the game has been stimulated since the award was made. After the game a meeting of the league will be held.

## WHIZZ BANGS SPOILED SPORT IN THE DUGOUT

J. M. Rowley, Secretary of the Fragments from France Football Club, is in receipt of an interesting letter from his friend, Pte. W. J. Johnson, of the 102nd Battalion, in which he described how the exigencies of war sometimes spoil the "inner sports" of the men over there. In the course of his letter Pte. Johnson says: "Cambrai was history. Nearly got damaged in a poker game before going on leave. Two whizz bangs hit the house and landed square. Busted up a good pot opened by Sam Sorenson on four fives. Sam is grouching yet."

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Looking Forward to Seeing  
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New York, Nov. 25.—The conference between Taft, the Hempstead and Frazer was held in this city and Mr. Taft took the offer under consideration without comment. His reply is not expected for several days.

After yesterday's conference they made public a statement in which they said that "the man to fill this position at the head of America's national game should be the big American figure, who had the esteem and respect of the American public."

Mr. Taft, having always been a great lover of baseball, would be the ideal American at the head of America's national game, said the statement.

## UNIFORMITY ASSURED IN AMATEUR HOCKEY

Toronto, Nov. 25.—The Star to-day calls attention to the fact that uniformity in amateur hockey rules throughout Canada will soon be accomplished. The Saskatchewan Hockey Association has adopted the O. H. A. rules of six-man hockey and Manitoba and the other western provinces will likely follow suit. The Allan Cup games at the end of this season will, therefore, present no handicaps to any of the competing teams, and will be decided absolutely on their merits.

## SCOTTISH FOOTBALL.

Glasgow, Nov. 25.—Following are the results of Scottish football for Saturday, November 23:

Airdrieonians 3, St. Mirren 6.  
Clyde 1, Kilmarnock 0.  
Partick Thistle 5, Celtic 1.  
Queen's Park 3, Clydebank 4.  
Ayr United 4, Hamilton Academical 1.  
Dumbarton 4, Hibernians 5.  
Hearts 2, Third Lanark 5.  
Morton 1, Rangers 5.  
Motherwell 2, Falkirk 5.

## PLUCKY PIGEONS.

Among the records of the R. F. A. Pigeon Service there is none, perhaps, more thrilling than that of a carrier pigeon which was severely wounded in an aerial battle while pluckily performing an errand of mercy. It the bird, which was sent out with three others on two aeroplanes carrying out patrol duty "somewhere in the North Sea," could be given the power of speech it might tell a dramatic story. All that is known is that, with blood streaming from its left eye, it fluttered to the ground in a certain aerodrome in an almost exhausted condition, and it was found that it had been shot through the eye by a bullet. The message it brought was merely the word "Attacked."

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A Meeting of the Navy League Chap-

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ing.

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Street Naming.—On motion of Alder-

man Sargent, Mr. Ernest Hall's letter

to the City Council respecting the

similarity and duplication in street

names in and about Victoria was re-

ferred to the Inter-Municipal Com-

mittee, and when the report is re-

ceived, the Council will deal with the

matter of streets within the city limits.

Rehabilitating Soldiers.—On the sug-

gestion contained in a letter from the

Board of Trade that the City Council

should name two representatives on

the proposed general committee to

deal with the problem of rehabilitating

returned soldiers, Mayor Todd last

night named Alderman Andros and

Alderman Feden.

Test Will Prove It.—Alderman Sar-

gent took occasion at last night's meet-

ing of the City Council to question the

wisdom of the recommendations made

in the interim report of the Local Im-

provement Commissioners respecting

the relief extended in certain cases.

He thought that the work of the Com-

missioners had developed to a much

greater extent than was anticipated by

the Council in the first place. He con-

tended that the wisdom of the policy

of relief by way of general revenue

taking over the excess charges in all

cases was something that time alone

could prove.

Choral Society Resumes Rehearsals.

The committee of the Choral Society

desires to impress upon every member

the necessity of attending the rehears-

al to-night in St. John's Hall, Herald

Street, commencing promptly at 8

o'clock. Members of the committee

will be on hand at 7:30 p. m. to allocate

parts and arrange for membership

cards to those who have not already

received them. To those intending to

become members, application should

be made to the committee to-night or

at latest during the week as all posi-

tions in the chorus will be filled by

that time and they will perform have

to be on the waiting list. Members

and prospective members are asked to

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## CONCILIATION AWARD

### BROUGHT DISCONTENT

Far More Dissatisfaction Than  
 Ever Before, Says  
 Alderman

The request made by the metre head-  
 ers and patrolmen of the Waterworks  
 Department that their salary should be  
 readjusted to at least meet the mini-  
 mum of \$4 a day paid to street labor-  
 ers and garbage men was quickly dis-  
 posed of by the City Council last night.

On motion of Alderman Porter the  
 matter was referred to next year's  
 Council. "In making this suggestion,"  
 said Alderman Porter, "I feel that the  
 1919 Council will have to take up the  
 whole question of salaries."

"There has been far more dissatis-  
 faction since the Conciliation Board  
 gave its award than ever before. These  
 men who are applying for an increase  
 are on the monthly payroll, and there  
 is only one month remaining in this  
 year. I think, therefore, that it is a  
 matter for the incoming Council to  
 deal with."

"Another point is that this question  
 of increased salary was never taken  
 up with Mr. Preston, the Water Com-  
 missioner, and as it is in his depart-  
 ment I really think the request should  
 have come through Mr. Preston."

"The first sign of the petition  
 from the waterworks employees is that  
 of I. Byers, patrolman, who is Presi-  
 dent of the Civic Employees' Protec-  
 tive Association. As stated in yester-

day's Times, this body meets this  
 week and the chief topic for discus-  
 sion will be the readjustment of salar-  
 ies on a more equitable basis for the  
 lower-paid employees. It is well  
 known that discontent has been rank-  
 ing in the hearts of many of the civic  
 employees ever since the award of the  
 Conciliation Board was announced.

## CHOICE OF OFFICERS

Engineering Institute Branch Will  
 Make Selection at Later Meeting.

The postponed monthly meeting of  
 the Victoria Branch, Engineering In-  
 stitute of Canada, was held in the In-  
 stitute rooms, Belmont Building at 8  
 o'clock last evening, with a repre-  
 sentative attendance of members present.  
 Nominations were received for officers  
 of the Branch, who will be elected at  
 the annual meeting held on Decem-  
 ber 11. Messrs. Young, Foreman and Fowler  
 being proposed for the chairmanship,  
 and Messrs. Marriott, Everall and  
 Holdcroft for the office of Secretary.  
 It was unanimously decided that the  
 Branch should offer its services and  
 co-operation with the authorities, in  
 connection with the work of re-estab-  
 lishing Canada's soldiers in civilian  
 life, and a committee was appointed to  
 interview the Government and repre-  
 sentatives in charge of this work, and  
 report at the next meeting.

## TO ADDRESS ROTARIANS

Bayly Hopkins Will Speak at Weekly  
 Club Luncheon on Thursday.

Bayly Hopkins, Pacific Coast Man-  
 ager of the Foundation Company, will  
 be the chief speaker at the Rotary  
 Club luncheon on Thursday. It is ex-  
 pected that on account of the impor-  
 tance of the company's ship-build-  
 ing activities, what Mr. Hopkins  
 has to say will be of interest to Ro-  
 tarians.

Active steps are being taken by the  
 Club to collect the money necessary  
 for the furnishing of a new bedroom  
 for returned men at the homes estab-  
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 Comrades of the Great War and the  
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The Directors have appointed J. H.  
 Fletcher and Gordon Jamieson as the  
 representatives of the Board of  
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 to co-operate with the Mayor in ar-  
 ranging a reception for the C. N. R.  
 ferry cars, which is expected to  
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 builders at Quebec: J. F. Scott, E. J.  
 Brown and P. B. Scurrah.

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## BULLDOG WAS CAUSE OF FATAL ACCIDENT

Coroner's Jury Considers  
 Death of W. G. Hillary;  
 Driver Exonerated

A large bulldog, according to the  
 verdict of a coroner's jury which con-  
 vened yesterday afternoon, was the  
 primary cause of the accident last  
 Wednesday which resulted in the death  
 of W. G. Hillary. The jury, after a  
 two hours' session, brought in a ver-  
 dict of accidental death, and fully ex-  
 onerated Frank Richmond, the driver  
 of the automobile which crashed into  
 a large building had run out into  
 the street barking and evidently inter-  
 fering with the steering of the car. Hill-  
 ary on his bicycle appeared to be in  
 doubt as to how he should avoid the  
 larger vehicle and the animal, and in  
 the confusion the collision resulted.

Other witnesses stated that it was  
 the habit of the bulldog to run at cars.  
 Expert evidence was brought to show  
 that the automobile was in excellent  
 condition with regard to its steering  
 apparatus.

Dr. W. T. Barrett told of attending  
 the victim of the accident, and stated  
 that the concussion caused was very  
 severe. Hillary had been delirious most  
 of the time since being injured, and  
 had rarely recovered consciousness.  
 The jury was composed of William  
 Nachtrieb (foreman), James Adams, A.  
 McGavin, Wallace Terguson, James  
 Simms and George Powell.

## NEW QUARTERS

Army and Navy Veterans Discussed  
 the Matter Last Night; Col.  
 Haggard Resigned.

An important item of business to be  
 discussed at the regular meeting of  
 the Victoria Branch of the Army and  
 Navy Veterans in Canada to-night will  
 be that of new quarters. Exhaustive  
 inquiries have been made in respect  
 of suitable premises and a report thereon  
 will be received and acted upon.

At the Council meeting held last  
 night a number of matters came up  
 for preliminary consideration, among  
 which was the allegedly narrow man-  
 ner in which the Dominion Department  
 of Lands is administering the disposi-  
 tion of lands adjacent to railways.

It is claimed that Dominion Land  
 Agents are placing an interpretation  
 of official instructions prejudicial to  
 the members of the naval arm of the  
 service. The Dominion Executive  
 committee of the organization will be  
 asked to make representations to the proper  
 quarter.

Difference of clothing allowance as  
 between men discharged from the  
 Army and the Navy—already referred  
 to in these columns—will be referred to  
 the Board of Trade, with the request  
 that every effort be made with the  
 Federal Government towards equal  
 treatment for men of both services on  
 discharge.

Colonel Andrew Haggard, D.S.O.,  
 tendered his resignation from the First  
 Vice-Presidency on account of ill-  
 health.

To Move Mayor's Office.—At the  
 meeting of the City Council last night  
 it was decided to approve of the plans  
 prepared by Building Inspector North-  
 cott for the exchange of the Mayor's  
 offices for those of the City Clerk. The  
 cost of alterations to be \$283. When  
 put to a vote the resolution was five to  
 four in favor, the Mayor casting the  
 deciding vote. "I did not think it was  
 possible," remarked His Worship  
 amidst laughter from the members.

## CONSERVATIVES TO

### GATHER TO-MORROW

## AT PORT ALBERNI

Mr. Bowser Will Be There;  
 Major Burde Endorsed  
 by Soldiers

## GREAT WAR COMRADES

### ON DIFFERENT SIDES?

At Port Alberni to-morrow the West  
 Coast Central Conservative Associa-  
 tion will convene for the purpose of  
 discussing the political situation and  
 to take as a consequence thereof any  
 necessary action in regard to the nam-  
 ing of a candidate for the forthcoming  
 bye-election. The vacancy arose  
 through the untimely death of Richard  
 P. Wallis, who defeated the Liberal  
 candidate in the bye-election last  
 spring. No date has yet been announced  
 by the Government for the holding of  
 the election, although it is anticipated  
 that the matter will be disposed of in  
 time to permit the successful candi-  
 date to take his seat in the House at  
 the 1919 session of the Legislature.

Opposition Leader There.  
 Neither Liberals nor Conservatives  
 have given any inkling as to what  
 course is likely to be taken by them  
 in view of the fact that Major R. J.  
 Burde, M. C., has declared himself as  
 the independent candidate, supported  
 by the returned soldiers. W. J.  
 Bowser, K. C., M. P., Leader of the  
 Opposition, will be present at to-mor-  
 row's convention at Port Alberni, and  
 it is understood that he will advise a  
 similar course to that adopted on his  
 suggestion by the Victoria Conserva-  
 tives for the city bye-election in June  
 last. At that time Mr. Bowser felt  
 there was sufficient to warrant the en-  
 trance of a straight party candidate;  
 in fact he stated "later on" it  
 would possibly be advisable to confer  
 with the returned men with a view  
 to discovering what representation in  
 the House would meet their wishes.

The Liberal candidate at the Victoria  
 election was a returned soldier. He  
 did not possess actual front line fight-  
 ing experience, however, and there-  
 fore was unsuccessful in his bid for  
 the soldier's support. Both party men  
 lost their deposits.

## Neither Look Good to Him.

The fact that Major Burde was for-  
 merly associated with Conservatism  
 in the constituency he now seeks to  
 represent, it is stated, will not affect  
 his support to his candidacy, a  
 slight relaxation in the convention  
 rules which governed the selection of  
 Frank Gilmour. Political past, present  
 and future was distinctly "taboo" and  
 an address to the voters of the Al-  
 bertain district Major Burde an-  
 nounces himself as the choice of the  
 returned soldiers and a large number  
 of other independent electors. "I am  
 in the campaign without obliga-  
 tion to, or affiliated with, either polit-  
 ical party, and seek no support that  
 could be calculated, in any degree,  
 to hamper independent action," says the  
 Major. "Both Liberal and Conserva-  
 tive parties look alike to me," he goes  
 on to say, "and neither of them look  
 good to me. They do not measure up  
 to the standard of that honest and un-  
 selfish administration so much needed  
 in the dawn of period of industrial re-  
 construction."

## No Big Promises.

Major Burde states that during his  
 eleven years residence in the Alberni  
 district he has studied its needs from  
 every angle, and in the general devel-  
 opment period to come he sees the ne-  
 cessity to give the returned soldier  
 special consideration. He flatly states  
 that he is not out with large promises  
 concerning land settlement and other  
 problems of provincial concern; but in  
 addition to a fair and intelligent rep-  
 resentation of the returned soldier ques-  
 tion he hoped he can be trusted to ap-  
 ply some of his ability to secure a fair  
 deal for his constituency.

## Comrades' Opposing Views.

The Victoria branch of the Comrades  
 of the Great War, it is understood, has  
 formally signified its approval of Major  
 Burde's candidacy and it is expected  
 that the Great War Veterans' Associa-  
 tion will take a similar course at its  
 meeting to-night.

There is a rumor circulating amongst  
 the returned men here that the Van-  
 couver branch of the Comrades is con-  
 templating sending one or two orators  
 from its membership to oppose Major  
 Burde. No indication is given as to  
 why such a course is proposed, particu-  
 larly in view of the fact that no other  
 candidate has yet declared himself.

Moreover, should the suggestion ma-  
 terialize the Victoria comrades are  
 said to be in the mood for a "show  
 down" and would not hesitate to send  
 a detachment to the Alberni district  
 to support the Major on the platform.  
 With a wordy war between the com-  
 rades and the possibility of a three-  
 cornered fight the electors of the va-  
 cant constituency will be able to count  
 on an entertaining period once the elec-  
 tion date is announced.

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**1330 JOHNSON STREET**, near Fernwood, 6 roomed cottage, \$25. n26-10

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**1083 PEMBERTON ROAD**, 6 rooms, very modern, garage, etc., \$45. n26-10

**2237 BOWKER AVENUE**, 6 rooms, all modern conveniences, \$21. n26-10

**2646 PRIOR STREET**, 3 roomed cottage, stable, 2 lots, \$20. n26-10

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## **UNFURNISHED**

**TO LET**—Well furnished, 3 roomed house, in nice locality and close to city. Apply R. V. Winch & Co., Ltd., 405 Hillside Street. n27-18

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**TO LET**—Store, 614 View Street. Apply 157 Central Building. n26-10

## **AUTOMOBILES**

**FORD PARTS AND REPAIRS**, Revercomb Motor Co., Phone 4913, 223 Yates Street. n26-10

**CARTIER BROS.**—The choice of their good used cars at cost price for this week. 724 Johnson Street. n26-10

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**ALL SNAPS**

**BORD**, 5-seater, in excellent order, all new tires and perfect running order; price for a quick sale, \$285. n26-10

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**SEVERAL OTHERS** at very low prices and terms arranged, at

## **MASTERS**

**1052 Fort Street**. Phone 5569. n26-10

**A "MOVING" OPPORTUNITY**—3024 plain tires; 113. These casings are well-known makes; and are not old stock. They cannot be purchased from any other factory to-day at this price. Plimley's New Location, Broughton St., at Gordon, on and after November 26. n26-10

**LATE MODEL FORD**, five-passenger, must. See quick. \$455. 516-518. 1313 Gladstone. n26-10

**DELTA ELECTRIC LAMPS**, \$2.50. Plimley & Ritchie, Limited, 611 View St. n26-10

## **AUTOMOBILES**

**"VICTORIA BRAND"** IS A GUARANTEE OF PURITY.

**SHELL GARAGE, LTD.**, 435 View Street. Expert repairs, all auto work guaranteed. National rubber tire dealer and tire trouble. Tel. 5409. n26-12

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## **MUST BE SOLD**—Owner leaving town.

Five-passenger Superior in good running order, tires are all good, one spare with rim, paint is in good shape, \$550. Call and see this car. n26-12

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**Seven-Passenger CADILLAC CARS** for hire. **TOM BAKER**, Returned Soldier, First Class Boat Stand. **PHONE 111.**

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**CHALMERS** 20, pony tonneau, roadster, five-passenger, excellent condition; private owner. Phone 26251. n26-10

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## **COMING EVENTS**

Peace proclaimed means the boys' return. The best reception must be given by letting them hear the music of a CRESSWELL (Certificated with honors).

**PIANO TUNER** 518 Beach Drive. Phone 4141. One-third of a century's experience with leading English factories. n26-10

**VICTORY DANCE**—Queen City Service Club will hold a victory dance on Friday, Nov. 29, at 8 p. m. at the Victoria Club. Tickets 1 to 1 a m. Heaton's orchestra. All tickets sold for Oct. 15 will be good. Proceeds for field comforts. n26-10

## **ALL BAPTISTS OF THE CITY**

are invited to a special meeting to-night at 8 o'clock at Emmanuel Baptist Church, 330 Catherine Street, for the purpose of electing a new pastor. For further information, apply Miss Barbara Fay, 725 Vancouver Street. n26-50

**THERE WILL BE A UNITED MEETING** of all the Baptist Mission Societies on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the Emmanuel Baptist Church, Mrs. Spotted will give an address on "The Church's Responsibility to the Stranger in Our Midst." All ladies interested invited. A social half-hour after, when refreshments will be served. n26-50

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## **THE VICTORIA CLUB**

will hold their November 27th inst. at 4 o'clock. There will be many attractions, including a gift table for ladies at the front of the foyer and novelty booth. A concert with informal dance will be given during the evening from 8 to 10 o'clock. The Cross Committee will serve afternoon tea. High tea served from six to seven o'clock in the evening. n26-50

## **ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOCIETY**

The regular meeting of the Society will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 26, at 8 o'clock, when all members and friends are requested to attend



## DRAFT AGREEMENT

15. Frame cottage and outbuildings on lot 1931, Block 65, known as No. 219 Kingston Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Hannah D. Brumpton and Mary G. Gaetz.

Owner—Janie Watson.

17. Frame cottage on Lot 14, Block E, Airfield Estate, known as No. 1602, Dallas Road, Victoria, B.C.

Owner—Mary C. Webb.

18. Frame shack, lean-to and sheds on lot 12 of Block 2 and 3, Section 19, Map 16. Situated South of and adjoining No 8 Mills Street, Victoria, B.C.

Owner—George Nell.

19. Frame cow shed, lean-tos and  
beds on part of Block 22, Section 68,  
situated at the rear of No. 366 St. Charles  
Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—G. A. D. Flitton.

20. Frame building on Lot 148, Block  
1, situated on the Northwest corner of  
Johnson and Blanshard Streets, Victoria,  
B.C. (Old Chinese laundry.)  
Owner—L. J. Quagliotti.

19. Frame cow shed, lean-to, and  
barns on part of Block 22, Section 63,  
located at the rear of No. 356 St. Charles  
Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—G. A. D. Filloon.

20. Frame building on Lot 148, Block  
1, situated on the Northwest corner of  
Johnson and Blanshard Streets, Victoria,  
B.C. (Country).  
Owner—L. J. Quagliotti.

21. Frame dwelling on West part of  
Block 3, Section 4, 2 1/4 acres. Saniclin  
extension.  
Owner—Regina Stewart.

**SCHEDULE "B."**

1. Frame dwelling and outbuildings on  
South part of Lot 148, Block 22, situated  
on the N. E. corner of Blanshard and  
Broughton Streets, Victoria, B.C.

Owners—S. McB. Smith and F. Colman.  
Agents for S. McB. Smith and F. Colman; Chas. B. Innes.  
Owner—Henry A. Spencer.  
2. Frame cabins and outbuildings on lot 6 of Block 2, Christ Church Trust Estate. Known as No. 752 Humboldt street, Victoria.  
Owners—Wm. Christie and Alex. S. Cooper; Trustees of Isobel Christie (deceased).

Owners—S. M.C.B. Smith and F. Colman.  
Agents for S. M.C.B. Smith and F. Colman—  
Owner—Chas. B. Jones.  
Owner—Henry A. Spencer.  
2. Frame cabins and outbuildings of  
No. 10, Block 2, Christ Church Trust  
estate. Known as No. 752 Humboldt  
street, Victoria.  
Owners—W.M. Christie and Alex. S.  
Christie, Trustees of Isobel Christie (de-  
ceased).  
3. Frame cabins and outbuildings of  
No. 10, Block 2, Christ Church Trust  
estate. Known as Nos. 766 and 768 Blanshard  
street, Victoria. B.C. (near the W. W.  
corner of Blanshard and Humboldt  
streets).  
Owner—Henry Harkness.  
4. Frame cottage and outbuildings of  
No. 10, Block 2, Christ Church Trust  
estate. Known as No. 766 Blanshard  
street, Victoria. B.C. (near the W. W.  
corner of Blanshard and Humboldt  
streets).  
Owner—Henry Harkness.

5. Frame cottage and outbuildings on Lots 570 and 571, Block 43, known as No. 68 Montreal Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Alex. James D. Janie, Thomas and Annabella D. Watson.

5. Frame cottages and outbuildings of Lots 570 and 571, Block 43, known as No. 68 Montreat Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—James D. Jamie, Thomas and Annabella D. Watson.

6. Frame cabins on Lot 157, Block V situated at the rear of No. 121 Pandora Avenue, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—A. H. Hayward.

7. Frame dwelling and outbuildings of Lot 3 of Block 1, Christ Church Trust, known as No. 745 Courtney Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Dr. R. F. Verrinder.

8. Frame dwelling and outbuildings of Lot 3 of Block 1, known as No. 745 Courtney Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Dr. R. F. Verrinder.

9. Frame cottage and outbuildings on Lot 28, Block 59 to 63 and 66 and 67, Spring Ridge. Situated on Stelly Street at the rear of the Spring Ridge School, Victoria, B.C.

Owners—Lieutenant-Colonel Forsyth, Trustee of Estate of Alonzo U. Davis deceased.

10. Frame dwelling on the North side

1. Frame dwelling on the north part of Lots 23 and 24 of Block 2 of 7 and Fernwood.  
Owner—Maurice B. Stanle.

**SCHEDULE "C."**

1. Frame dwelling and outbuildings on Lot 250, Block 14, Hillside Extension A, Section 4. Situated on the N. E. corner of Douglas and Market Streets, Victoria B.C.  
Owner—William Edgar Cox

Lots 23 and 24 of Block 2 of 7 and Fernwood.  
Owner—Maurice E. Stanie.

**SCHEDULE "C."**

1. Frame dwelling and outbuildings on Lot 560, Block 14, Hillside Extension 2nd Section. Situated on the N. E. corner of Douglas and Market Streets, Victoria B.C.

Owner—William Henry Coy.

2. Frame cottage on Lot 51 of Blocks and 73, Spring Ridge. Known as No. 21 Spring Road, Victoria.

Owner—Robert Haszard.

Agent—Honourable Mr. Justice E. McPhillips.

**SCHEDULE "D."**

1. Frame dwelling and outbuildings on Lot 580, Block 41, known as No. 6

Montreal Street, Victoria, B.C. (North East corner Montreal and Cross Streets)  
Owners—A. E. and E. M. Haynes, C. Schwengers and C. F. Mathews.  
Agents—The British America Trust Co.  
2. Dwellings (corrugated iron on wood frame) on the East part of Lot 579, Block 41, known as No. 210 Cross Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Martha Jane Michell.

**SCHEDULE "E."**  
1. Frame stable on Lot 16, Block Fernwood, situated at the rear of N 1439 Pembroke Street, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Oliver Johnson.

**SCHEDULE "F."**  
1. Basement excavation on Lots 19 and 21 and part of Lot 17, Suburban 5 and Lot 9, situated on the corner of Va-

cover and Flanagan Streets, Victoria  
B.C.  
Owners—Mrs. Theresa Hagan and  
Trustees First Baptist Church.  
**SCHEDULE "G."**  
1. House on Block 16, Oaklands, N  
2954 Cedar Hill Road, Victoria, B.C.  
Owner—Albert M. Bass.  
**WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,**

**CLERK OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.**  
City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C.,  
November 20th, 1918.

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

**SEALED TENDERS** superscribed "Tender for Cottages" will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Railways up to 12 noon, December 2, 1918, for the erection of Cottages for the use of the

Plans, specifications, contract and form of tender may be seen on and after 20 November, 1918, at the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company's Office, Wootton Block, Vancouver; the office of the Government Agent, New Westminster, or the Department of Railways, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Railways; for a sum equal to 10 per cent. of tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tenderer declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will

returned to them.  
Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer.  
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. F. PROCTOR,  
Chief Engineer,  
Department of Railways, B. C.,  
- Office of Chief Engineer,  
Victoria, B. C. - November 12 1903

**GANGES SCHOOL.**  
Sealed Tenders superscribed "Tender for Ganges School" will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Monday the 9th day of December, 1918, for erection and completion of a small one room School at GANGES HARBOR, S.A.

**SPRING ISLAND,** in the Islands Electoral District, B. C.

Plans, specifications, etc., can now be seen at the office of the Supervisor of Public Works Department, Victoria, or that of W. M. Mouat, Esq., Secretary to the School Board, Gangway, B. C.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. E. FOREMAN

Public Works Engineer,  
Public Works Department,  
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 13, 1915.

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UTILIZE TIMES WANT AD

Four principal factors, in addition to those outlined at the Council session, of October 17, are defined in the conditions proposed for incorporation in the new city agreement with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company:

4: The rates for light, gas and power are to be the same in Victoria at all times as prevail in Vancouver.

**CAN BE SWALLOWED  
BY WHOLESALE**

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No Danger of Contracting

**LAND REGISTRY ACT.**  
**Notice Under Section 38.**  
**TAKE NOTICE** that an application has been made to register George H. Pledger, as the owner in Fee-simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from the Collector of the Corporation of the District of Saanich, to George H. Pledger, bearing date the 26th day of September, 1918, in pursuance of a Tax Sale held by said Collector on or about the 20th day of August, 1915, of all

estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register the said George H. Pledger as owner of the said land so sold for taxes.

Your attention is called to section 36 of the said Act. (R. S. B. C. 1911, c. 127) and amendments.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 11th day of May, 1911.

# TAXATION ACT

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

As it may not be generally known to the public at large, attention is drawn to the fact that under an Amendment to the Taxation Act, 1917, as amended, the

THOS. H. LEEMING,  
Assessor and Collector.  
Parliament Buildings' Annex,  
Government Street, Victoria,  
November 24, 1918.













<b>PURE EXTRACTS</b> All flavors; 2½-oz. bottle .....	25c
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<b>PURE SPICES</b> Tin .....	15c
<b>DIXI CEYLON TEA</b> Per lb. ....	50c, 60c, 75c
<b>RAW SUGAR</b> Per lb. ....	15c
<b>DEMARA SUGAR</b> Per lb. ....	15c
<b>TATE'S "AFTERNOON TEA" SUGAR CUBES</b> Package .....	30c
<b>MOLASSES</b> Tin, 15¢ and .....	25c

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**PACIFIC TRACTOR COMPANY**  
DISTRIBUTORS  
Cleveland Tractors, Dyneto Isolated Electric  
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Office—Ground Floor, Belmont Building. Phone 5500.  
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## DUCK DECOYS

Easily carried. Per dozen ..... \$6.00  
**Drake Hardware Company, Limited**  
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**FRESH EGGS FRESH EGGS**  
Try a package of our Egg Producer in your mash. It will make your hens lay. Per package ..... 60¢  
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**Select and Almost New**  
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of five nicely furnished houses, including in part: Almost new Scale Williams Piano, very fine Fumed Oak and Eng. Oak Dining Room Suites, F. O. Library and Den Furniture, nice Parlor Furniture, very fine All-Brass Bedsteads and Mah. and Oak Dressers, splendid Carpets, Monarch Range, etc. Full particulars later. This sale will be worth your while attending.

**MAYNARD & SONS**  
Auctioneers Phone 337

## CONTINUATION OF SALE

SALE NO. 1454  
In the Estate of Kathleen Brown,  
Deceased  
**Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.**

Duly instructed by the Royal Trust Co., Administrators in the estate of Kathleen Brown, deceased, will continue selling by Public Auction at the residence, "Craigmillar," Blenkinsop Road, off Quadra.

## To-morrow and Thursday

Nov. 27th and 28th at 2 each day, the

## FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

as advertised in yesterday's papers. The Household Linen will be sold at the end of the sale on Thursday. The Ford car will be sold the first lot TO-MORROW.

On view to-morrow morning from 10 o'clock.  
Take the Lake Hill Bus to Blenkinsop Road.  
For further particulars apply to  
The Auctioneer  
**STEWART WILLIAMS**  
410 and 411 Sayward Building  
Phone 1324

SALE NO. 1457

## Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by P. R. Blackie, Esq., will sell by Public Auction at his residence, 1932 Crescent Road, Fowl Bay, on

## Friday, Nov. 29

at 2 o'clock the whole of the contents of the residence at advertised in Saturday's paper, and will also include a 1909 Cadillac in good order, and a Seed Plan.

For further particulars apply to  
**STEWART WILLIAMS**  
The Auctioneer  
410 and 411 Sayward Bldg. Phone 1324

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**VICTORIA DAILY TIMES**  
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## TOURIST TRAFFIC MEANS MILLIONS TO THE PACIFIC

High Praise Given Pacific Northwest Tourist Association

## SUGGESTED OTHER BODIES AFFILIATE

The annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association will take place in Tacoma a week from Wednesday, delay having been caused as a result of the Spanish influenza epidemic. It will be at this meeting that Mayor Todd's resignation as president of the organization and withdrawal from its activities will be formally dealt with.

The meeting will be an important one and will be attended by all members interested in the development of the tourist traffic and the progress of the Pacific Northwest. The executive will meet in the morning, followed by the general meeting in the afternoon. Dr. E. P. Bailey, a prominent member of the medical profession in the south and a man of keen business instincts, has made some valuable suggestions to the Chamber of Commerce, Long Beach, Cal., respecting the affiliation of that body with the Tourist Association, and incidentally pay a high tribute to the work carried on by the latter organization.

## What He Discovered.

Dr. Bailey addressed the Chamber of Commerce as follows:  
"Long Beach is certainly wide awake to its many valuable attractions for tourists; its numerous publicity organizations are conducted by keen, capable officers and directors, especially so is our Chamber of Commerce, but we can still learn something of value, if when travelling in other cities we investigate what they are doing along these lines. When travelling through the Northwest recently I watched carefully for anything of value that we could utilize to further the interests of our City Beautiful, and would like to briefly mention a matter that is worthy of attention."

"Perhaps the foremost effort at co-operative advertising before the country to-day is the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association's plan to attract tourist travel to Oregon, Washington and British Columbia."

## How It Is Financed.

The association is financed by the Legislatures of Oregon, Washington and the Government of British Columbia; the fund to be used aggregates \$112,000 and the money has been largely expended through newspapers and magazines. Instead of attempting to have the commercial organizations of the various cities of the co-operation finance the association through asking the overburdened business men for donations, it was determined to go to the various Governments and ask for the money to be raised by direct taxation, thus placing the burden evenly on all citizens—every one of whom profits more or less through the movement of a large volume of tourist travel.

A few enthusiastic citizens planned the organization and speakers went before the various Legislatures and asked to present the plan, while every member of the Legislatures was personally interviewed and later bombarded with letters. The hotel associations got into the game, as well as other organizations of business men and women. Oregon was first to respond with an appropriation of \$45,000 for the biennial tour of the Pacific Northwest, Washington followed with \$40,000, and British Columbia came through with her proportion and the association got down to solid work.

The association is governed by a board of thirty directors—ten for each governmental subdivision. The president is Mayor A. E. Todd, of Victoria, B.C. The secretary is Herbert Cuthbert, of Seattle, and the treasurer is J. C. Alinsworth, of Portland. The directors and all officers, other than the secretary, serve without pay.

It has become a frequent thing now to note regularly display ads in the important magazines and newspapers, bringing under notice the many points of interest in those sections and thus attract attention that could be gained in no other way.

## Millions in Traffic.

"The majority of the people of the United States and even many officials of the Government seem to be unaware of the immense amount of capital invested in the great national industry which I term tourist traffic, and of the immense industry derived therefrom. Let me point out that before the war the revenue derived from tourist traffic was \$700,000,000 per annum. A few figures for example are as follows:

"\$50,000,000 to the State of Maine.  
"\$100,000,000 to the New England States.  
"\$50,000,000 to the Florida and Colorado."

"While the latest figures from the U. S. Bureau of Statistics show that it was worth \$1,000,000 a day to the State of California."

In Cuba it is second only to the tobacco industry, while in Colorado it is second to mining and agriculture. What it is to Long Beach I will leave you to estimate.

But I would urge that our publicity committee take some action to formulate a plan whereby this section of California at least can affiliate with the Pacific Northwest Association in this great work—one that will eliminate its jealousies to the detriment of their funds for this definite purpose, and that the work be carried on by an honorary directorate, or committee, and not be controlled or handled by professional tourist or advertising agencies."

## Putnam's Extractor Rids Your Feet Of Sore Corns

No substitute has ever been devised that gives the quick, painless results you get from Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Its success is unequalled. It soothes, eases, heals and painlessly removes callouses, bunions, warts and corns in twenty-four hours. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed with 35c bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Refuse a substitute preparation. Putnam's is sold by druggists everywhere.

## Answer This!

When you have indigestion you never take a lung medicine. Why, then, when you have a cough, a cold or bronchitis (lung troubles) do you swallow things down into your stomach? It is a mistake, and the Peps treatment for colds, bronchitis and asthma, etc., corrects this mistake. Peps are tablets made up of Pine extracts and medicinal essences, which when put into the mouth turn into healing vapors. These are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes—not swallowed down to the stomach, which is not ailing.

On the face of it, it is not this treatment of coughs and colds more rational than the old-fashioned way? Peps are recommended by doctors, by nurses, by people in authority everywhere, who once having tried this new treatment will never go back to the old form. We could send you books of testimonials, if you would like to read them, but one trial of Peps will give you more personal satisfaction than lots of reading about what others say. 50c box, at druggists and stores. Remember the name—just four letters—

## Peps

## RANGE LANDS WILL BE CONTROLLED BY MODERNIZED LAWS

British Columbia Development Committee to Meet to Discuss Regulations

## ADMINISTER COMMONS BY OVERSEAS' BOARD

On or about December 17 the British Columbia Development Committee—better known perhaps as the Grazing Committee—will meet at Kamloops to discuss legislation in its relation to the control of the range lands of British Columbia. The various statutory enactments are now more or less out of date, particularly so when considered in conjunction with the aggressive policy of the Department of Lands and the programme authorized by the Minister on the advice of Grazing Commissioner McKenzie.

Remodelling Legislation.  
At the forthcoming conference rules and regulations will be discussed with the Government. It is also the intention to discuss certain amendments to the Cattle Ranges Act with the main idea in view of consolidating the several Acts into a practical working whole in keeping with the new order of things planned. The Commonage Act, for instance, will not permit the administration of a commonage unless and until an election thereon has been held by the residents of the precinct. And owing to the general lack of interest in such a proceeding it will be suggested to the committee that power be given to the stockmen affected. That is to say, the Act will be so amended that it will provide for the recognition of a board of overseers selected by a majority of the people who use the commons. In other words the Committee has in mind the necessity of bringing all legislation on the subject abreast of the times and the requirements of the general range control programme.

## Range Burning.

Membership of the general committee is composed of forty representative stockmen, each intent upon assisting the Government to get the requisite machinery in motion. One of the topics to be discussed at the gathering in question is that of range burning. During his recent tour of inspection through the province Commissioner McKenzie made a careful study of old burns and last year's burns from the scientific point of view, and his findings have suggested two areas that might be tried in an endeavor to get the growth of the grass when the unmerciful Jack Pine is destroyed. The result of his investigations in the fall of this year confirms the information collected by Mr. McKenzie south of the line that it is inadvisable to put severe fires through heavy timber to improve the range for grazing.

## Burn Early in Year.

As far as the Commissioner can learn the forage growing under the Jack Pine of British Columbia requires a great deal of shade and that it is the better policy to burn the old dead grass as early as possible in the year. This burning, he says, does not destroy the big fern necessary to provide the shade for livestock and grass, but it destroys brush and small seedlings and promotes the development of open, parklike areas. Some areas have been laid out to burn for the purpose of noting the effect of fire on the dense growth of kinnikinnick—squaw carpet—which in places is growing so quickly that it appears to be choking out the forage.

## Inner Organization.

While this very important question of range burning will be fully discussed by the Commissioner and the Committee, the main business of the gathering will be taken up with rules and regulations, such to be effective in respect of all range lands now in use from the Cascades east to the Okanagan Valley and from the international boundary line north to Soda Creek.

It will take the major part of next summer, says Mr. McKenzie, to get all the stockmen's committee organizations

## STORE HOURS

9 a.m. till 6 p.m.  
Wednesday, 1 p.m.  
Saturday, 9 p.m.

**Gordons**  
739 Yates St. Phone 5510

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9 a.m. till 6 p.m.  
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## Exceptional Bargains for Wednesday Morning Selling

## Clean-up Prices on St. Margaret's All-Wool Jerseys, Jersey Suits and Jersey Kilts

Boys' All-Wool Jerseys, buttoned on shoulder style, in colors reseda, brown, navy, red and white. Size to fit child two years. Twenty only. Regular \$2.25.  
Wednesday morning ..... \$1.69  
Boys' All-Wool Jersey Suits in colors navy, sage and cardinal. Suit includes jersey, pants and cap; size 1 and 2 years. Regular \$5.00 and \$5.50. Wednesday morning ..... \$2.98  
Boys' All-Wool Suits, including jersey and pants; size 6 and 8 years. Regular \$4.25. Wednesday morning ..... \$4.49  
White only.

Girls' All-Wool Jersey Kilt Suits, with bloomers, white only; size 8 and 10 years. Regular \$7.00. Wednesday morning, \$4.98. Size 2 years; regular \$6.00. Wednesday morning ..... \$3.98  
4 Only, Knit Wool Petticoats, with bodice attached; colors navy and cardinal; size 6 and 8 years. Regular \$2.50 and \$2.75. Wednesday morning ..... \$1.19  
10 Only, All-Wool Leggings, with draw in at waist line; colors red and white; sizes 2, 3 and 4 years. Regular \$2.25 to \$5.50. Wednesday morning ..... \$1.19

Odd Line of Children's Toques and Bonnets, in white and colors, to clear  
Wednesday morning at ..... 49c  
—First Floor

## 40-In. Fancy Weave Wool Dress Goods at \$1.15 Yard

A clear saving of 60c a yard on 40-inch fancy weave Wool Dress Materials. A good, durable quality for women's and children's dresses; colors navy, sage, green, burgundy and brown. Regular \$1.75 values.  
Wednesday morning ..... \$1.15  
yard ..... Main Floor

## Cretonne Shopping Bags, Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 for 98c

Four dozen only of these to go on sale Wednesday morning, all extra well made and finished with strong handles. A splendid choice of rich dark tapestry effects in pretty cretonne, repp and fine chintz. All a good full size. Four dozen only, so come early. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Wednesday morning, each ..... 98c  
—Second Floor

## Offering Four Big Values From the Staple Department

2 Dozen Only of White Turkish Towels, one of our best selling numbers. A good bath towel, in size 24 x 48 inches. Worth at least \$1.25. Wednesday morning, each ..... 85c  
Pillow Cases of extra heavy quality and fine finish; size 42 x 44 inches. Wednesday morning, each ..... 35c

10 Dozen Fancy Bleached Guest Towels, in good strong quality; size 19 x 48 inches. Wednesday morning, 3 for ..... \$1.00  
Fancy Foulards, in navy grounds with small figured designs and stripes; 29 inches. Wednesday morning, yard ..... 35c  
—Basement

## Every Hat in Our Stock From \$9.75 to \$15.00 Reduced to \$6.95

Every Hat in the store priced from \$9.75 to \$15.00, is included in this Mid-Season Sale of New York Pattern Hats, Stylish Velvet Shapes, and Rich Quality Velours of approved models. See window display.

## Handsome Pattern Hat, Regular \$13.50 to \$15.00, Reduced to \$6.95

Handsome Hat of Black Velvet, with crush crown, faced with cherry silk; finished with beautiful veil, which fastens around neck. Regular \$13.50 for ..... \$6.95  
Another Rich Hat, of deep Purple Velvet, with crush brim, tam crown, finished with novelty tassel. Regular \$15.00, for ..... \$6.95

A Handsome Chin Chin Hat, of Cherry Velvet, embroidered with silk, and has war bride veil. Regular \$15.00, for ..... \$6.95  
Pretty Mole Pattern Hat, of Velvet and Satin, ostrich trimmed. Regular \$14.50, for ..... \$6.95

Beautiful Crush Sailor Hat, of Black Silk Velvet, trimmed with novelty flowers. Regular \$15.00, for ..... \$6.95  
Stylish Hat in Helmet style, made of Navy Velvet with cerise facing, trimmed with feather mount. Regular \$15 for ..... \$6.95  
Black Velvet Pattern Hat with Alice blue ostrich trimming, covering brim. Regular \$15, for ..... \$6.95

## Rich Quality Velour Hats, Reg. \$12.50 to \$14.50, Reduced to \$6.95

10 Beautiful Velour Hats, in purple, navy, elephant and black. Colonial Sailors, Melon Pokes, faced with Georgette and Siberian caps. All are finished with corded silk ribbon, band to match. Regular \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$14.50, for ..... \$6.95

## Stylish Velvet Shapes Reg. Values \$9.75, Reduced to \$6.95

16 Black Silk Velvet Shapes, in novelty styles such as turbans, tricorns, Gainsboroughs and Duchesses. Regular \$9.75, for ..... \$6.95

## Armistice Ball, in Aid of Red Cross, Empress Hotel, Thursday, Nov. 28

ed and working. The primary function of the branch committee in conjunction with sub-committees within itself, will be determination of the "lines" of the whole district under that particular organization's jurisdiction. Such rules and regulations will be enforced by the district bodies in general and such sub-committees. It seems fit to organize will take into consideration local difficulties of a minor nature, being responsible to the parent body, which in turn is controlled by the Development Committee, with whom the Government will deal direct.